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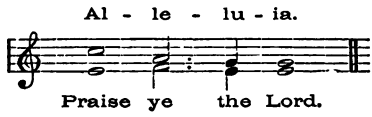

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PREFACE.

To instruct the youth of the Church in vocal music, to inspire their hearts with love for the Worship of God, and to contribute to the happiness of homes and schools, is the simple design of this book. May God bless this humble effort for the sake of Christ Jesus our Redeemer.

Grateful acknowledgments are hereby extended to all who by counsel and music have contributed to this work.

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A Service for Choirs and Congregations

AT THE

REHEARSALS OF CHURCH MUSIC.

Let us pray. (*All kneeling.*)

OUR Father, &c.

O LORD, Who knowest the imperfection of all things we do, sanctify, we beseech Thee, both our hearts and bodies to Thy service, that we may engage in the work of Thy sanctuary with reverence and godly fear; and that our lips may offer unto Thee an acceptable sacrifice, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O Lord, open Thou our lips. [*See page* 20, *Common Praise.*]
Response. And our mouths shall show forth Thy praise.

Glory be to the Father, &c.

Praise ye the Lord.
R. The Lord's name be praised.

Chant the 84th Psalm, with Gloria Patri.

The Lord be with you. [*See page* 20, *C. P.*]
R. And with Thy Spirit.

Let us pray.

O Lord, show Thy mercy upon us.
R. And grant us Thy salvation.
V. O God, make clean our hearts within us.
R. And take not Thy Holy Spirit from us.

GRANT, O Lord, that what we shall say or sing with our mouths we may believe in our hearts; and that what we believe in our hearts we may fulfill in our lives, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

ACCEPT, O Lord, we beseech Thee, the hearty endeavors of us Thy humble servants to praise Thy Holy Name, and grant that the work wherein we are engaged may by Thy grace be made effectual to the advancement of our souls in Thy Faith, Fear, and Love, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Benediction.

The grace of our Lord, &c.

Private Devotions for Choristers.

BEFORE SERVICE.

O Lord, open Thou my lips, that my mouth may show forth Thy praise, and purify my heart that I may worthily magnify Thy glorious Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

AFTER SERVICE.

Grant, O Lord, that what I have sung with my mouth that I may believe in my heart, and what I believe in my heart I may steadfastly fulfil in my life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Questions for Daily Self-examination.

I. Have I said my usual prayers carefully and earnestly?

II. Have I been unmindful of God's presence, and done any thing in secret which I should be ashamed or afraid to do openly?

III. Have I been disobedient or rebellious?

IV. Have I been ill-tempered or hurt anybody by word or deed?

V. Have I been slothful or greedy?

VI. Have I said any thing impure, profane, or false?

VII. Have I willfully indulged wicked thoughts?

Qualifications.

I. Ability to read music at sight; at least a knowledge and daily practice of the scale.

II. A thorough acquaintance with vocal music demands like good reading: *first*, Correctness of Enunciation; *second*, Quality, with reference to purity, fullness, and pliancy of voice; *third*, Emphasis; *fourth*, Expression.

III. Quick perception of the language and music of praise with a reverent expression of the same.

IV. Neat attire, promptitude, and regularity.

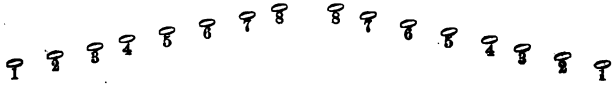
V. Religious character very important. When other qualities are sufficient, preference will be given to communicants of the Church.

VI. A correct style of chanting can only be acquired by the practice of all the exercises *of Elocution. This will not only* strengthen and improve the voice, but render the service *of Worship more solemn* and effective.

The Elements of Vocal Music.

LESSON I.

THE SCALE comprises eight tones with seven intervals, consisting of five *Major* and two *Minor Seconds*.



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Do	Re	Mi	Fa	Sol	La	Si	Do.
C	D	E	F	G	A	B	C.

Now we sing through the upward scale,
Now we sing through the downward scale.

Hymn 1. L. M.

Praise God, from whom all blessings flow;
Praise Him, all creatures here below;
Praise Him above, angelic Host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

Hymn 2. L. M.

Speak gently to the little child,
Teach it in accents soft and mild:
Speak gently, kindly, to the poor,
They have enough they must endure.

Hymn 3. 8s & 7s.

1 In the pleasant, sunny meadows,
Where the buttercups are seen;
And the daisies' little shadows
Lie along the level green:

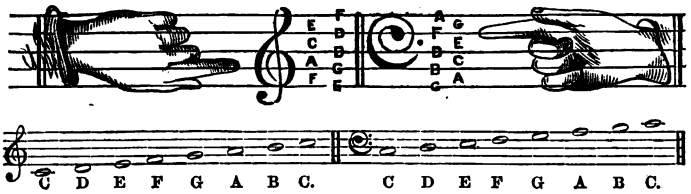
2 Flocks of quiet sheep are feeding,
Little lambs are playing near;
For the watchful shepherd leading,
Keeps them safe from harm and fear.

3 Christians are like sheep, abiding
In the Church's pasture free;
Jesus is our Shepherd guiding,
And the little lambs are we.

4 O sweet Shepherd, gently lead us,
Lest we fall or go astray;
With the Bread of Heaven O feed us,
That we faint not by the way.

LESSON II.

THE STAFF consists of five lines and four spaces, with lines above and below. The *Clefs determine* the letters on the degrees of the staff. Bars and Measures are rhythmic marks.



4. The Lord my pasture shall prepare,
And feed me with a shepherd's care.

5. Round.

1 3 | 5 5 | 3 5 | 8 || 8 5 | 8 8 · 8 | 5 5 | 3

Morn - ing bells I love to hear, Ring-ing mer-ri - ly, loud and clear.

6. Chant. 5 | 6 5 | 8 || 7 | 8 6 | 5 4 | 3

Glory be to the Father, | and · to the | Son, || and | to the | Holy | Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and | ever · shall | be || world | without | end. A- | men.

Hymn 7. 8s & 7s.

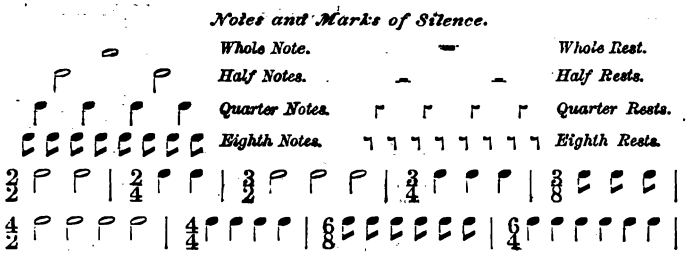
1 Heavenly Father, | send thy | blessing
On thy | children | gathered | here,
May they all, thy | name con- | fessing,
Be to | Thee for- | ever | dear;
May they be, like | Joseph, | loving,
Duti- | ful and | chaste and | pure;
And their faith like | David | proving,
Steadfast | unto | death en- | dure.

2 Holy Saviour, | who in | meekness
Didst vouch- | safe a | Child to | be,
Guide their steps, and | help their | weakness,
Bless and | make them | like to | Thee;
Bear Thy lambs when | they are | weary
In Thine | arms, and | at Thy | breast;
Through life's desert, | dry and | dreary,
Bring them | to thy | heavenly | rest.

3 Spread Thy golden | pinions | o'er them,
Holy | Spirit, | Heavenly | Dove,
Guide them, lead them, | go be- | fore them,
Give them | peace, and | joy, and | love;
Temples of the | Holy | Spirit
May they | with Thy | glory | shine,
And immortal | bliss in- | herit
And for | ever- | more be | thine! Amen.

LESSON III.

Notes and Marks of Silence.



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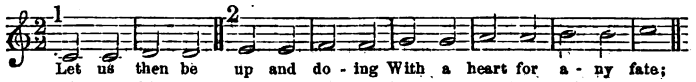

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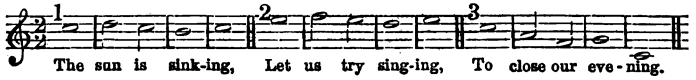

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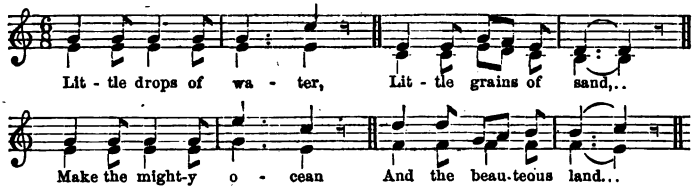


2 And the little moments,
Humble though they be,
Make the mighty ages
Of Eternity.

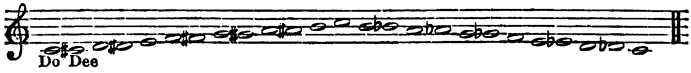
3 So our little errors
Lead the soul away
From the path of virtue
Oft in sin to stray.

4 Little deeds of kindness,
Little words of love,
Make our earth an Eden
Like the heaven above.

LESSON IV.

The Chromatic Scale, and the Transposition of the Major Scale.

♯ = *Sharp.* ♭ = *Flat.* ♮ = *Natural.*



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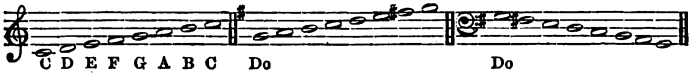
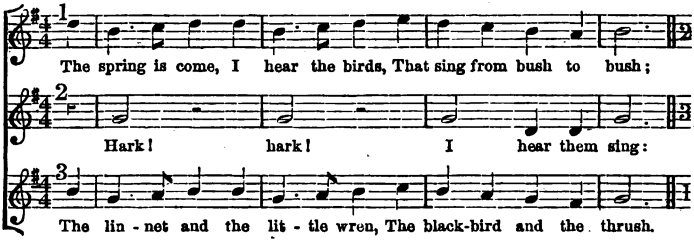
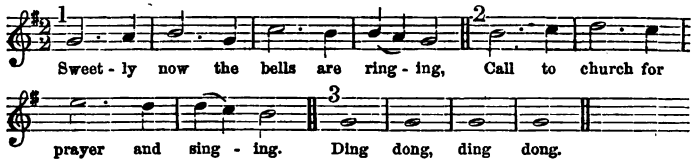


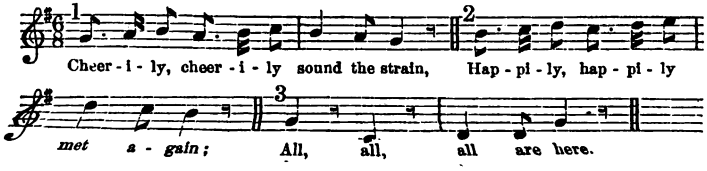
11. THE SPRING IS COME. Round for Three Voices.



12. SWEETLY NOW THE BELLS. Round.

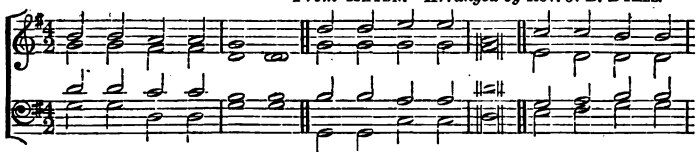


13. CHEERILY, CHEERILY. Round for Three Voices.

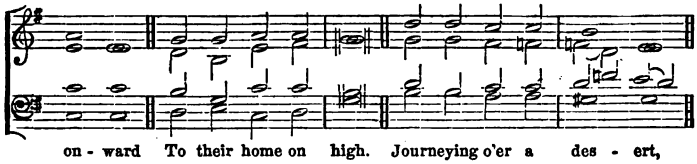


14. BRIGHTLY GLEAMS OUR BANNER.

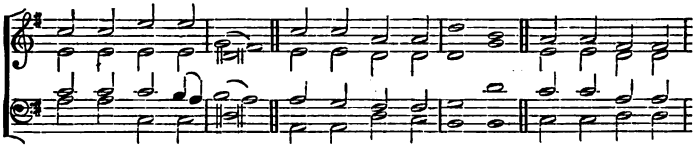
From HAYDN. *Arranged by* Rev. J. B. DYKES.



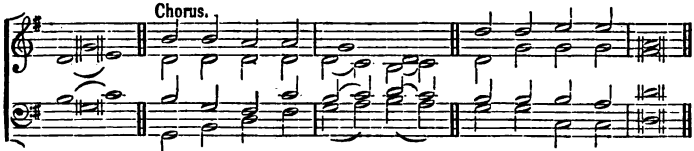
1. Brightly gleams our ban - ner, Point-ing to the sky, Wav-ing wanderers



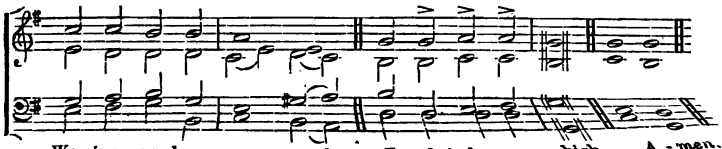
on - ward To their home on high. Journeying o'er a des - ert,



Glad - ly thus we pray, And, with hearts u - nit - ed, Take our heavenward



way..... Bright-ly gleams our ban - ner,.. Point-ing to the sky,



Wav-ing wan-derers on - ward To their home on high. A - men.

2 Hail! sweet Jesus, Master,
Round Thy Sacred Feet,
Here, with hearts rejoicing,
See Thy children meet.
Long, alas! we've left Thee
Straying far away,
Now once more we'll enter
On the narrow way.
CHO.—Brightly gleams our banner, &c.

3 All our days direct us,—
Make us meek and mild,
By Thy Childhood's Pattern,—
Mary's Holy Child.
Bid Thine angels shield us,
When the storm-clouds lower,
Pardon Thou—protect us
At death's solemn hour.
CHO.—Brightly gleams our banner, &c.

4 Jesu! Saints and Angels
With Thy Church combine,
Offering prayers and praises
At Thy glorious shrine;
When the toil is over,
Then comes rest and peace,
Jesus in His beauty,—
Songs that never cease,
CHO.—Brightly gleams our banner,
Pointing to the sky,
Waving wanderers onward
To their home on high. Amen.

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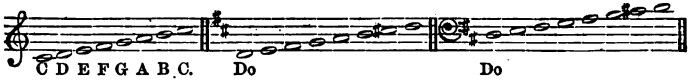

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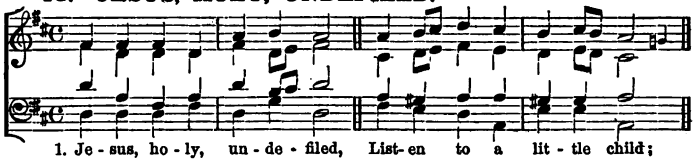

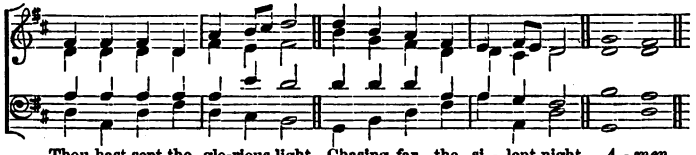

2 Thou hast sent the sun to shine
O'er this glorious world of Thine;
Warmth to give, and pleasant glow,
On each tender flower below.

3 Thou by whom the birds are fed,
Give to me my daily bread;
And Thy Holy Spirit give,
Without whom I cannot live.

4 Make me, Lord, obedient, mild,
As becomes a little child;
All day long, in every way,
Teach me what to do and say.

16. A PARISH SCHOOL ROUND.

Words by J. H. W.

1. O cheer-i - ly, mer-ri- ly sing the song That tells of joy and gladness, As hap-pi- ly, hopeful-ly, thus we strive To o - vercome thoughts of sad - ness.

2. Hur-rah! hurrah! hur-rah!..... The tones of the music implores us To be hap - py, truthful, and pure, As we aim for the joys be - fore us.

3. Hark! hark! forward! 'Tis the bell, 'tis the parish school bell. Hark! hark! forward! 'Tis the bell, 'tis the parish school bell...

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C D E F G A B C. Do Do

17. GOD'S CARE.

1. When we in the mid-night sleep, Guardian an - gels watch do keep,
2. Hear our cheer-ful, heart- felt praise For Thy good- ness and Thy care;

When in slum - ber we are blest, God still watch-es o'er our rest.
May we be, thro' all our days, Safe - ly kept from ev - ery snare.

18. HAIL, HAPPY MORNING.

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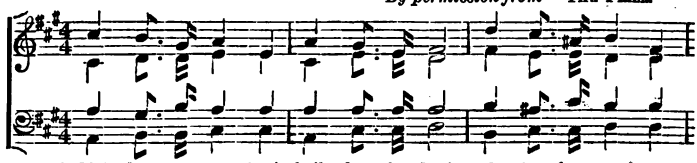
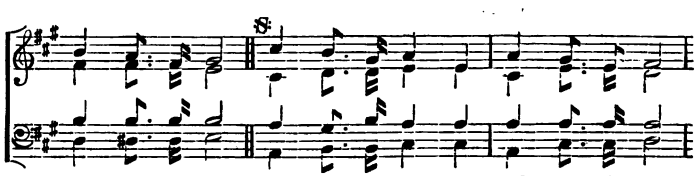
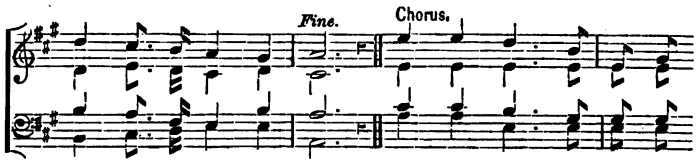


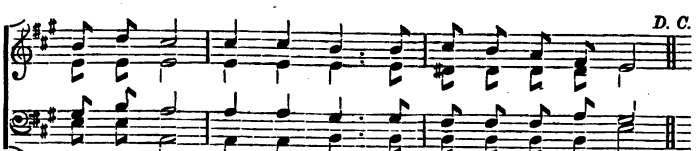
1. Hail, hap - py morn-ing! hail, ho - ly day! Call - ing from earth-ly



la - bors a - way; Sweet words of wis - dom, glad songs of joy,
"Come to the tem - ple, come, come a - way,



Now be our best em - ploy. Sing once more the hap - py,
Hal - low the Lord's own day."



hap - py song, While the gold - en mo - ments roll a - long:

2 Emblem of heaven, sweet day of rest,
In thy "remembrance" may we be blest;
So may our songs and lives ever say,
"Hallow the Lord's own day."—Cho.

3 Rest from our labors, rest from our cares;
Rest in our praises, rest in our prayers;
So the commandment would we obey:
"Hallow the Lord's own day."—Cho.

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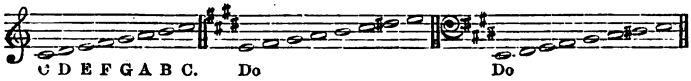

19. SWEET HOME.

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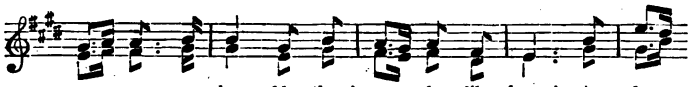

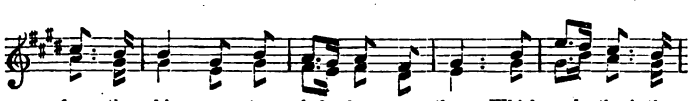

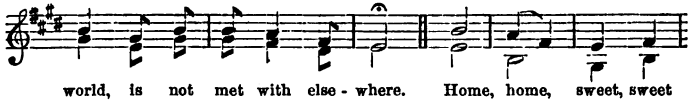

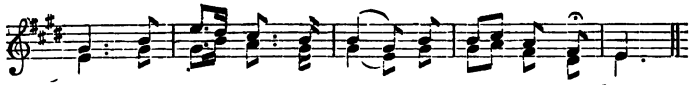

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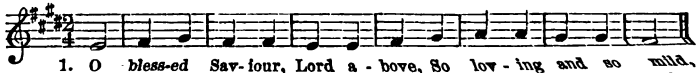
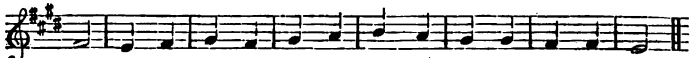
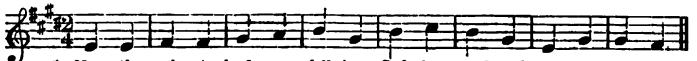


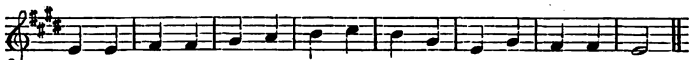


Look down up - on me thro' this day, Bless me, a lit - tle child.
And may my words show all a - round That Thou dost rule with - in.
And help me to be kind and true, As ev - ery child should be.

21. GOOD NIGHT SONG.



1. Now the qui - et shades are fall- ing Soft- ly round each low - ly dwelling;
2. Ho - ly an - gels round us bend-ing, Peace on love's bright wings descending;
3. Hand in hand our path pur - su - ing, Day by day our joys re - new- ing;



Sweet our eve-ning hymn is swelling, Schoolmates dear, good night, good night.
With our eve-ning wor - ship blending, Schoolmates, &c.
Here our words and deeds re - view-ing, Schoolmates, &c.

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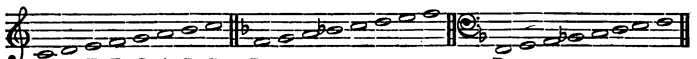
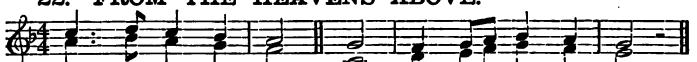
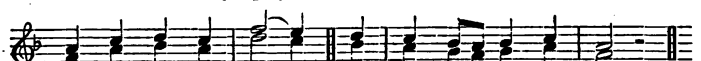


C D E F G A B C Do Do

22. FROM THE HEAVENS ABOVE.

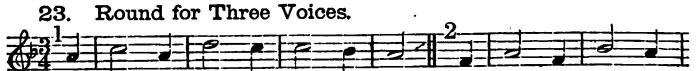


1. From the heavens a - bove Our God, in mer - cy mild,
2. Hears his ev - ery prayer, Is faith - ful day and night,

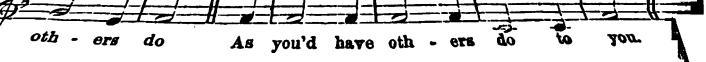


With a Fa - ther's love, Looks down on.. ev - ery child:
With a Fa - ther's care Sur - rounds his steps with light.

23. Round for Three Voices.



Be you to oth - ers kind and true, And al - ways un - to



oth - ers do As you'd have oth - ers do to you.

24. BRIGHTEST AND BEST.

MENDELSSOHN.

Alto Solo. Chorus.

1. Bright-est and best of the sons of the morn-ing, Dawn on our
2. Low on His cra - dle the dew - drops are shin - ing, Low lies His

Soprano Solo.

dark-ness, and lend us thine aid: Star of the east, the ho - ri -
head with the beasts of the stall; An - gels a - dore Him in slum-

Chorus.

zon a - dorn - ing, Guide where our In - fant Re - deem - er is laid.
ber re - clin - ing, Mak - er and Mon - arch, and Sav - iour of all.

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C D E F G A B C. Do Do

25. COME, FOLLOW ME. Round.

1

Come, fol - low, fol - low, fol - low, fol - low, fol - low, fol - low me.
Come, ev - ery son and daughter, Join the prais-es we would sing;

2

Whither shall I fol-low, fol - low, fol - low, Whither shall I follow, fol-low thee?
For it is a pleasure cheering, bet - ter Far than anything that we can bring.

3

Down by the willow, wil - low, wil-low, Down by the wil - low, wil - low tree,
Prais - es to Him, the Sav-iour, Brother, Prais - es to Him, the Might-y King.

26. PRAISE.

Arr. from HAYDN.

1. O heavenly Fa - ther, bow Thine ear, And heark-en to Thy

serv - ants here, While we our youth-ful voi - ces raise In fer - vent

Chorus.

prayers.. and songs..... of praise. Glad - ly to..... Thy

In fer-vent prayers and songs of praise.

courts we come, O guide.. us to..... our heaven-ly home.

2 From out the busy ways of life,
From all its pleasures and its strife,
We seek, O Lord, Thy loving face,
And beg the treasures of Thy grace:
Gladly to Thy courts we come,
O guide us to our heavenly home.

3 Teach us, dear Lord, Thy way to know,
And help us in that way to go,
That so our walk with Thee begun
May in Thy footsteps always run:
Gladly to Thy courts we come,
O guide us to our heavenly home.

4 Let the sweet sunshine of Thy love,
Still hovering o'er us like the dove,
Fill all our hearts and homes with joy,
And all our grateful hours employ:
Gladly to Thy courts we come,
O lead us to our heavenly home.

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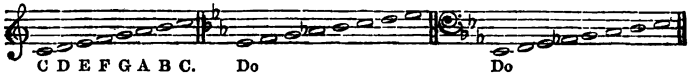

27. WHEN THE MORN IS BRIGHT. BLUMENTHAL.

1. When the morn is bright and fair, When sweet songsters charm the air,
I will lift my heart in prayer, I will seek my Fa - ther;
Lest my feet should go a - stray From His pure and per - fect way;
Lest I grieve Him as I may, I will seek my Fa - ther.

2 In the solitude apart,
In the wilderness or mart,
Oh! my sorely tempted heart,
I will seek my Father;
In the darkness as the day,
He shall be my Guide and Stay;
I *will lean on Him* alway—
I will seek my Father.

3 When the evening sun is red,
When each blossom droops its head,
Kneeling low beside my bed,
I will seek my Father;
That I slumber in His care,
Shielded from each harmful snare;
And for life or death prepare;
I will seek my Father.

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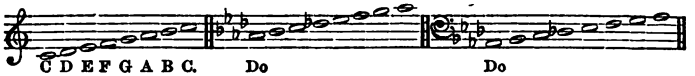
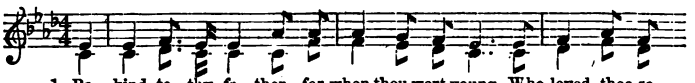
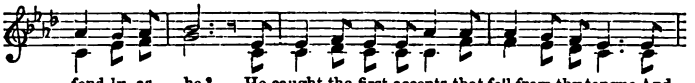
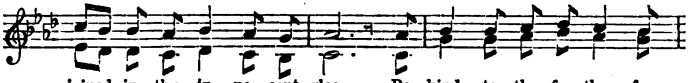
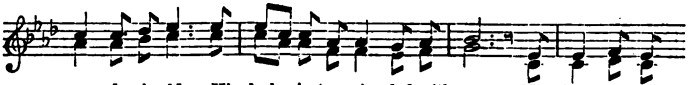


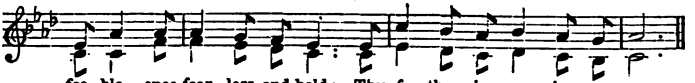
28. BE KIND TO THY FATHER.











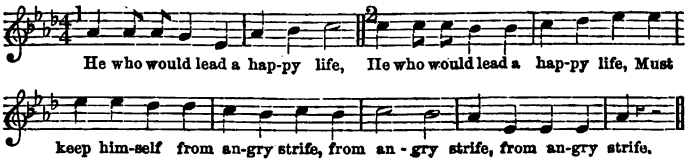
2 Be kind to thy mother,—for, lo, on her brow,
May traces of sorrow be seen;
Oh, well may'st thou cherish and comfort her now,
For loving and kind hath she been.
Remember thy mother,—for thee will she pray
As long as God giveth her breath:
With accents of kindness then cheer her lone way
E'en to the dark valley of death.

3 Be kind to thy brother—his heart will have dearth
If the smile of thy joy be withdrawn;
The flowers of feeling will fade at their birth
If the dew of affection be gone.

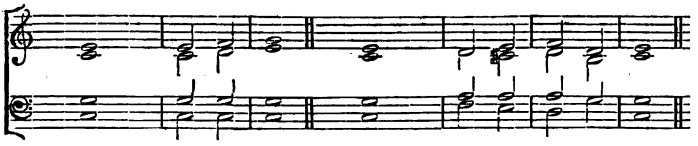
Be kind to thy brother—wherever you are
The love of a brother shall be
An ornament purer and richer by far
Than pearls from the depth of the sea.

4 Be kind to thy sister—not many may know
The depth of true sisterly love;
The wealth of the ocean lies fathoms below
The surface that sparkles above.
Be kind to thy father—once fearless and bold;
Be kind to thy mother, so near;
Be kind to thy brother, nor show thy heart cold;
Be kind to thy sister so dear.

29. Round.



30. THE REAPER AND THE FLOWERS.



1 There is a Reaper whose name is Death,
And with his | sickle | keen,
He reaps the bearded grain at a breath,
And the | flowers that | grow be-| tween.

2 "Shall I have naught that is fair?" saith he;
"Have naught but the|bearded|grain?
Tho' the breath of these flow'rs is sweet to me,
I'll give|them all|back a-|gain."

3 He gazed at the flowers with tearful eyes,
He kissed their | drooping | leaves:
It was for the Lord in Paradise
He | bound them | in his | sheaves.

4 "*My Lord has* need of these flow'rets gay,"
The Reaper | said, and | smil'd;
"Dear tokens of the earth are they,
Where | He was | once a | child.

5 "They shall all bloom in fields of light,
Transplanted | by my | care,
And saints upon their garments white,
These | sacred | blossoms | wear."

6 And the mother gave in tears and pain
The flowers she | most did | love;
She knew she should find them all again
In the | fields of | light a- | bove.

7 Oh, not in cruelty, not in wrath,
The Reaper | came that | day;
'Twas an angel visited the green earth,
And | took the | flow'rs a- | way.

31. MY MOTHER DEAR.

S. Lover.

1. There was a place in child - hood, That I re - mem - ber well;

And there a voice, of sweet - est tone, Bright fair - y tales did tell;

And gen - tle words and fond em-brace Were given with joy to me,

When I was in that hap - py place, Up - on my moth-er's knee.

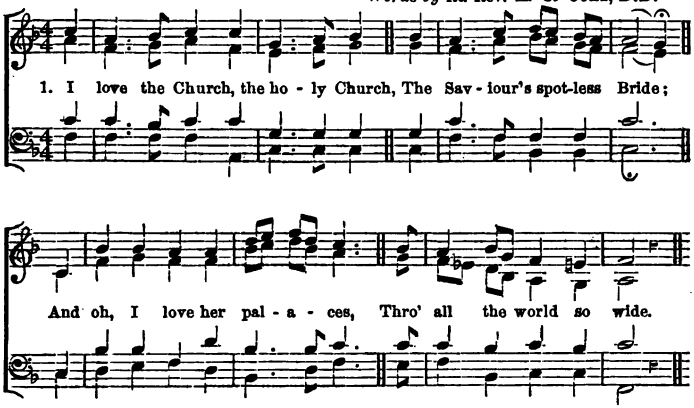
My moth-er dear, my moth-er dear, My gen - tle, gen - tle moth-er.

2 When fairy tales were ended,
"Good night," she softly said,
And kissed, and laid me down to sleep,
Within my tiny bed;
And holy words she taught me there;
Methinks I yet can see
Her angel eye, as close I knelt
Beside my mother's knee,
My mother dear, my mother dear,
My gentle, gentle mother.

3 In the sickness of my childhood,
The perils of my prime,
The sorrows of my riper years,
The cares of every time:
When doubt and danger weighed me down,
Then pleading all for me,
It was a fervent prayer to heaven
That bent my mother's knee.
My mother dear, my mother dear,
My gentle, gentle mother.

32. I LOVE THE CHURCH.

Words by Rt. Rev. A. C. Coxe, D.D.



2 The cross-topped spire amid the trees
The holy bell of prayer,
The music of our Mother's voice,—
Our Mother's home is there.

3 Unbroken is her lineage,
Her warrant clear as when
Thou, Saviour, didst go up on high,
And give good gifts to men.

4 *Here clothed in innocence they stand,*
Thine holy orders three,
To rule and feed Thy flock, O Christ,
And ever watch for Thee.

5 I love the Church—the holy Church—
That o'er our life presides—
The birth, the bridal, and the grave,
And many an hour besides.

6 Be mine through life to live in her,
And when the Lord shall call,
To die in her, the Spouse of Christ,
The Mother of us all.

33. FRANK. L. M.

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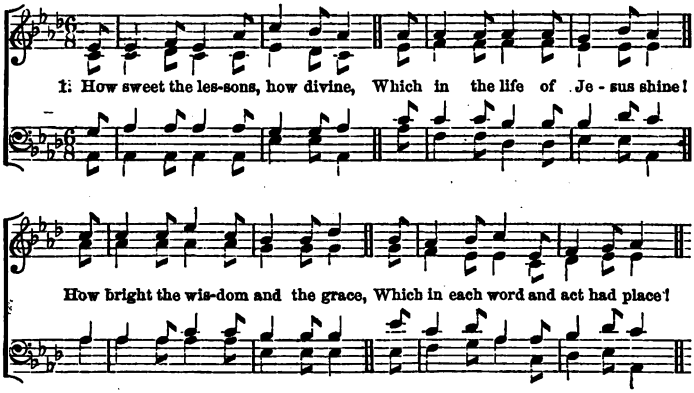


2 He never sought Himself to please,
Nor live on earth a life of ease,
But ceaselessly did He pursue
The business which He came to do.

3 A little child, His spirit still
Moved sweetly to His Father's will;
The manger and the cross declare
How perfect His example there.

4 Oh, be that dear example mine!
In me, may His sweet Spirit shine!
In some small measure may I be
A faithful copy, Lord, of Thee!

34. Awake, my soul. L. M.

1 AWAKE, my soul, to grateful lays,
And sing Thy great Redeemer's praise:
He justly claims a song from Thee;
His loving-kindness, oh, how free!

2 He saw me ruined in the fall,
Yet loved me notwithstanding all;
He saved me from my lost estate;
His loving-kindness, oh, how great!

3 Though numerous hosts of mighty foes,
Though earth and hell my way oppose,
He safely leads my soul along;
His loving-kindness, oh, how strong!

4 When trouble like a gloomy cloud,
Has gathered thick and thundered loud,
He near my soul has always stood;
His loving-kindness, oh, how good!

35. Advent. L. M.

1 WHEN Christ came down on earth of old,
He took our nature, poor and low;
He wore no form of angel mould,
But shared our weakness and our woe:

2 But when He cometh back once more,
Then shall be set the great white throne;
And earth and heav'n shall flee before
The face of Him that sits thereon.

3 O Son of God! in glory crown'd,
The Judge ordain'd of quick and dead;
O Son of man! so pitying found
For all the tears thy people shed;

4 Be with us in that awful hour,
And by Thy crown, and by Thy grave,
And by Thy love and all Thy pow'r,
In that great Day of Judgment save!

36. Lent. L. M. *Tune*, p. 116, C. P.

1 How beauteous were the marks divine
That in Thy meekness used to shine!
That lit Thy lonely pathway, trod
In wondrous love, O Son of God!

2 Oh, who like Thee, so calm, so bright,
So pure, so made to live in light?
Oh, who like Thee did ever go
So patient through a world of woe?

3 Oh, who like Thee so humbly bore
The scorn, the scoffs of men, before?
So meek, forgiving, godlike, high,
So glorious in humility?

4 Oh, in Thy light be mine to go,
Illuming all my way of woe!
And give me ever on the road
To trace Thy footsteps, Son of God!

37. Morning. L. M.

1 New every morning is the love
Our wakening and uprising prove;
Thro' sleep and darkness safely brought,
Restored to life, and power, and thought.

2 New mercies, each returning day,
Hover around us while we pray:
New perils past, new sins forgiven,
New thoughts of God, new hopes of heaven.

3 If on our daily course our mind
Be set to hallow all we find,
New treasures still, of countless price,
God will provide for sacrifice.

4 The trivial round, the common task,
Will furnish all we need to ask,
Room to deny ourselves a road
To bring us daily nearer God.

38. Evening. L. M.

1 O Father, Who didst all things make
That heaven and earth might do Thy will,
Bless us this night for Jesu's sake,
And for Thy work preserve us still.

2 O Son, who didst redeem mankind,
And set the captive sinner free,
Keep us this night with peaceful mind,
That we may safe abide in Thee.

3 O Holy Ghost, Who by Thy power
The Church elect dost sanctify,
Seal us this night, and hour by hour
Our hearts and members purify.

4 To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost,
The God Whom heaven and earth adore,
From men and from the angel-host
Be praise and glory evermore.

39. Baptism. L. M.

1 Thy Cross, O Lord, the holy sign
That we, thereafter, should be Thine,
Was traced upon our infant brow,
And shall we fear to own it now?

2 O God, forbid; before the vain,
The proud, the scoffing, the profane,
We will, through grace, our Lord confess,
His faint but faithful witnesses.

3 His strength in weakness He displays,
From youthful lips He perfects praise,
And we, his little soldiers, stand
Strong in the might of His right hand.

4 Smile on us, Lord, and we will fear
Nor scorn, nor shame, whilst Thou art near;
Reproach is glory, suffering rest,
If borne for Thee, if by Thee blest.

40. O Lord, behold. L. M.

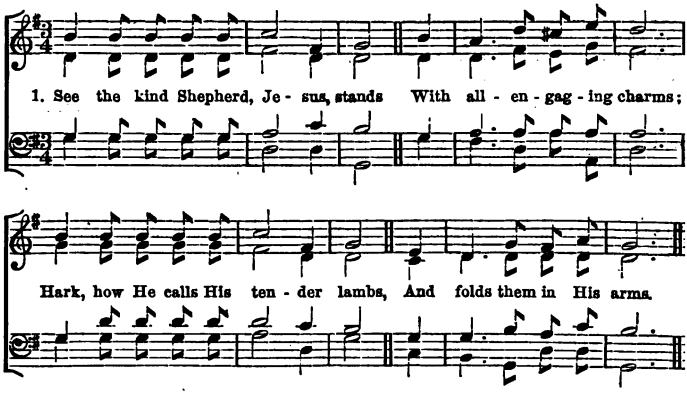
1 O Lord, behold, before Thy throne,
A band of children lowly bend;
Thy face we seek, Thy name we own,
And pray that Thou wilt be our friend.

2 Thou didst on earth the young receive,
And gently fold them to Thy breast,
And say that such in heaven should live,
Forever safe, forever blest.

3 Thy Holy Spirit's aid impart,
That He may teach us how to pray;
Make us sincere, and let each heart
Delight to tread in wisdom's way.

4 Oh, let Thy grace our souls renew,
And seal a sense of pardon there:
Teach us Thy will to know and do,
And let us all Thine image bear.

41. KINGSLEY. C. M.



2 Permit them to approach, He cries,
Nor scorn their humble name;
For 'twas to bless such souls as these
The Lord of angels came.

3 He'll lead us to the heavenly streams
Where living waters flow,
And guide us to the fruitful fields
Where trees of knowledge grow.

4 The feeblest lamb amid the flock
Shall be its Shepherd's care;
While folded in the Saviour's arms,
We're safe from every snare.

42. Kindness. C. M.

1 SPEAK gently: it is better far
To rule by love than fear;
Speak gently, let no harsh word mar
The good we may do here.

2 Speak gently to the young, for they
Will have enough to bear;
Pass through this life as best they may,
'Tis full of anxious care.

3 Speak gently to the aged one,
Grieve not the careworn heart;
The sands of life are nearly run,
Let them in peace depart.

4 Speak gently to the erring ones,
They must have toiled in vain;
Perchance unkindness made them so,
Oh, win them back again.

43. Charity. C. M.

1 FOUNTAIN of good, to own Thy love
Our thankful hearts incline;
What can we render, Lord, to Thee,
When all the worlds are Thine?

2 But Thou hast needy brethren here,
Partakers of Thy grace,
Whose names Thou wilt Thyself confess
Before the Father's face.

3 And in their accents of distress
Thy pleading voice is heard;
In them Thou mayst be clothed and fed,
And visited, and cheered.

4 Thy face with reverence and with love
We in Thy poor would see;
Oh, may we minister to them,
And in them, Lord, to Thee.

44. Children's Friend. C. M.

1 THOU Guardian of our youthful days,
To Thee our prayers ascend;
To Thee we'll tune our songs of praise,
Jesus, the children's Friend.

2 From Thee our daily mercies flow,
Our life and health descend;
Oh, save our souls from sin and wo;
Thou art the children's Friend.

3 Teach us to prize Thy holy word
And to its truths attend;
Thus shall we learn to fear the Lord,
And love the children's Friend.

4 Oh, may we feel a Saviour's love,
To Him our souls commend,
Who left His glorious throne above
To be the children's Friend.

45. Whitsun-day. C. M.

1 WHEN God of old came down from heaven,
In power and wrath He came!
Before His feet the clouds were riven,
Half darkness and half flame;

2 But when He came the second time,
He came in power and love;
Softer than gale at morning prime
Hovered His holy Dove.

3 The fires, that rushed on Sinai down
In sudden torrents dread,
Now gently light, a glorious crown,
On every sainted head.

4 And as on Israel's awe-struck ear
The voice exceeding loud,
The trump, that angels quake to hear,
Thrilled from the deep, dark cloud:

5 So, when the Spirit of our God
Came down his flock to find,
A voice from heaven was heard abroad,
A rushing, mighty wind.

6 It fills the Church of God; it fills
The sinful world around;
Only in *stubborn hearts* and wills
No place for it is found.

46. Whitsun-day. C. M.

1 HE's come, let every knee be bent,
All hearts new joy resume;
Sing, ye redeem'd with one consent,
"The Comforter is come."

2 What greater gift, what greater love,
Could God on man bestow?
Angels for this rejoice above,
Let man rejoice below.

3 Hail, blessed Spirit! may each soul
Thy sacred influence feel:
Do Thou each sinful thought control,
And fix our wavering zeal.

4 Thou to the conscience dost convey
Those checks which we should know,
Thy motions point to us the way;
Thou giv'st us strength to go. Amen.

47. Militant. C. M.

1 THE Son of God goes forth to war,
A kingly crown to gain;
His blood-red banner streams afar:
Who follows in His train?

2 Who best can drink His cup of woe,
Triumphant over pain;
Who patient bears His cross below,
He follows in His train.

3 The martyr first, whose eagle eye
Could pierce beyond the grave;
Who saw his Master in the sky,
And call'd on Him to save.

4 Like Him, with pardon on His tongue,
In midst of mortal pain;
He prayed for them that did the wrong:
Who followed in His train?

5 A glorious band, the chosen few,
On whom the Spirit came; [knew,
Twelve valiant saints, their hope they
And mock'd the cross and flame.

6 They climb'd the steep ascent of heaven
Through peril, toil, and pain;
O God! to us may grace be given
To follow in their train. Amen.

48. FAITH. S. M.

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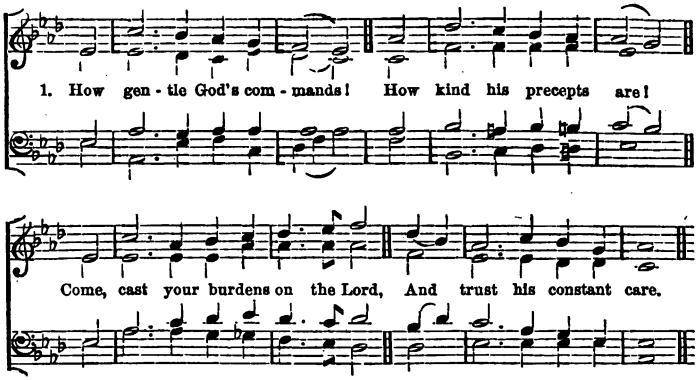

2 His bounty will provide,
His saints securely dwell;
That hand that bears creation up,
Shall guard His children well.

3 His goodness stands approved,
Unchanged from day to day;
I'll drop my burden at His feet,
And bear a song away.

49. S. M.

1 I WAS a wandering sheep,
I did not love the fold;
I did not love my Shepherd's voice,
I would not be controlled.

2 I was a wayward child,
I did not love my home;
I did not love my Father's voice,
I loved afar to roam.

3 The Shepherd sought his sheep,
The Father sought his child,
And followed me o'er vale and hill,
O'er deserts waste and wild.

4 *He found me nigh to death,*
Famished, and faint, and lone;
He bound me with the bands of love,
And saved the wandering one.

50. Sunday. S. M.

1 THIS is a day of light;
Let there be light to-day;
O Day-spring, rise upon our night,
And chase its gloom away.

2 This is a day of rest:
Our failing strength renew!
On weary brain and troubled breast
Shed Thou Thy freshening dew.

3 This is the day of peace:
Thy peace our spirits fill;
Bid Thou the blast of discord cease,
The waves of strife be still.

4 This is the day of prayer:
Let earth and heaven draw near;
Lift up our hearts to seek Thee there;
Come down to meet us here.

5 This is the first of days:
Send forth Thy quickening breath,
And wake dead souls to love and praise,
O Vanquisher of death!

51. Festal Hymn. S. M.

1 Rejoice, ye pure in heart,
Rejoice, give thanks and sing;
Your festal banner wave on high,
The Cross of Christ your King.

2 Bright youth and snow-crowned age,
Strong men and maidens meek,
Raise high your free exulting song,
God's wondrous praises speak.

3 With all the angel choirs,
With all the saints on earth,
Pour out the strains of joy and bliss,
True rapture, noblest mirth.

4 Your clear Hosannas raise,
And Alleluias loud;
Whilst answering echoes upward float,
Like wreaths of incense cloud.

5 With voice as full and strong
As ocean's surging praise,
Send forth the hymns our fathers loved,
The psalms of ancient days.

6 Yes, on, through life's long path,
Still chanting as they go,
From youth to age, by night and day,
In gladness and in woe.

7 Still lift your standard high,
Still march in firm array,
As warriors through the darkness toil,
Till dawns the golden day.

8 At last the march shall end,
The wearied ones shall rest,
The pilgrims find the Father's House,
Jerusalem the blest.

9 Then on, ye pure in heart,
Rejoice, give thanks, and sing;
Your festal banner wave on high,
The Cross of Christ your King.

52. ADRIAN. S. M.

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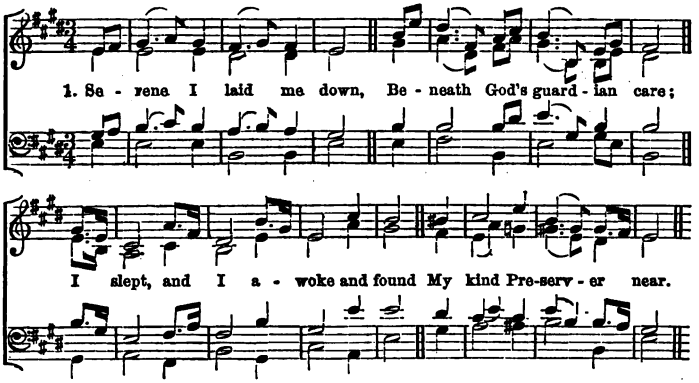
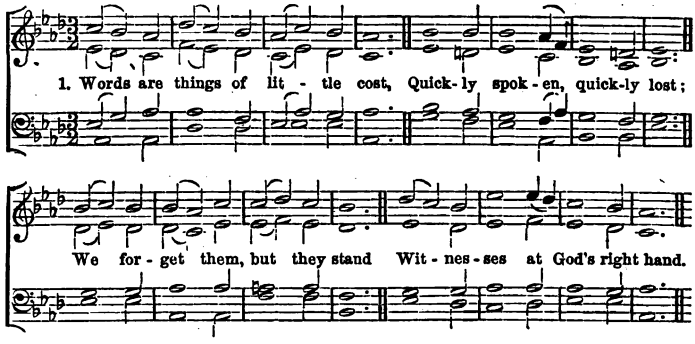


2 Oh how shall I repay
The bounties of my God?
This *feeble spirit pants* beneath
The pleasing, painful load.

3 Dear Saviour, to thy cross
I bring my sacrifice;
Sprinkled with blood, it shall ascend
With fragrance to the skies.

53. YARNDLEY. III. 1.



2 Oh, how often ours have been
Idle words, and words of sin!
Grant us, Lord, from day to day,
Strength to watch, and grace to pray:

3 May our lips, from sin kept free,
Love to speak and sing of Thee;
Till in heaven we learn to raise
Songs of everlasting praise.

54. Trinity.

1 Holy Father! hear our cry;
Holy Saviour! bend Thine ear;
Holy Spirit! come Thou nigh;
Father, Saviour, Spirit, hear.

2 Father, save us from our sin;
Saviour, we Thy mercy crave;
Gracious Spirit, make us clean:
Father, Son, and Spirit, save.

3 Father, Son, and Spirit—Thou
One Jehovah—shed abroad
All Thy grace within us now:
Be our Father and our God.

55. Jesus, Saviour.

1 Jesus, Saviour, Son of God,
Who for me life's pathway trod,
Who for me became a child;
Make me humble, meek, and mild.

2 I Thy little lamb would be,
Jesus, I would follow Thee;
Samuel was Thy child of old,
Take me, too, within Thy fold.

3 Teach me how to pray to Thee,
Make me holy, heavenly;
Let me love what Thou dost love,
Let me live alone with Thee.

56. INDIANA. III. 1.

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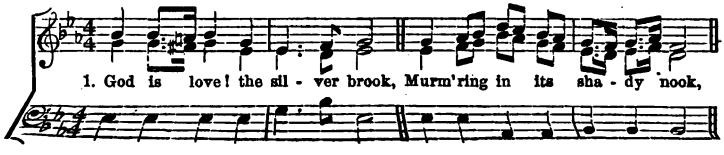

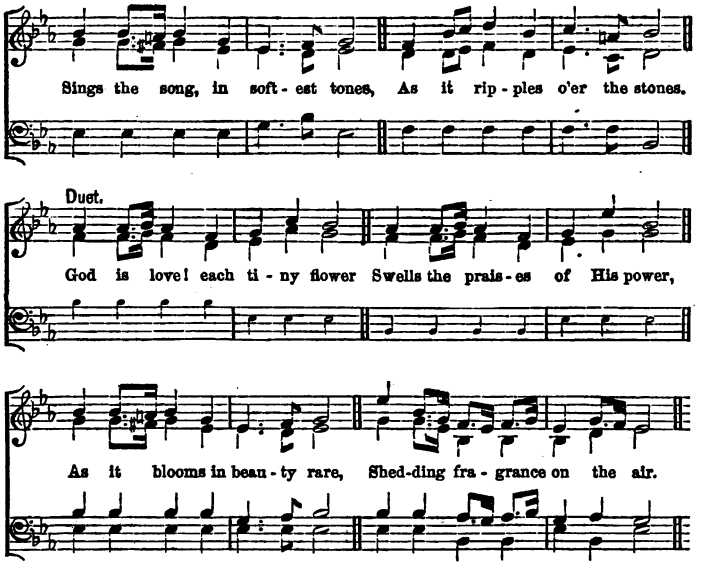

2 God is love! in every breeze,
Rustling through the forest trees;
We the still small voice may hear,
Whisp'ring of His presence near;
God is love! the little birds
Carol forth with joyous words;
Let us join the grateful song,
Praises to our God belong.

57. Easter.

1 We will carol joyfully,
On this holy festal day;
To our risen Lord and King
Grateful homage we will bring.

2 We will carol joyfully,
As with sweet accord we bring
Praise from every heart and voice
To our risen Lord and King.

3 We will carol joyfully,
While our love and thanks we give
To our risen Lord and King,
Him who died that we might live.

4 We will carol joyfully,
And to Him our offerings bring,—
Grateful hearts with love and praise,
To our risen Lord and King.

58. VINEYARD. Christmas.

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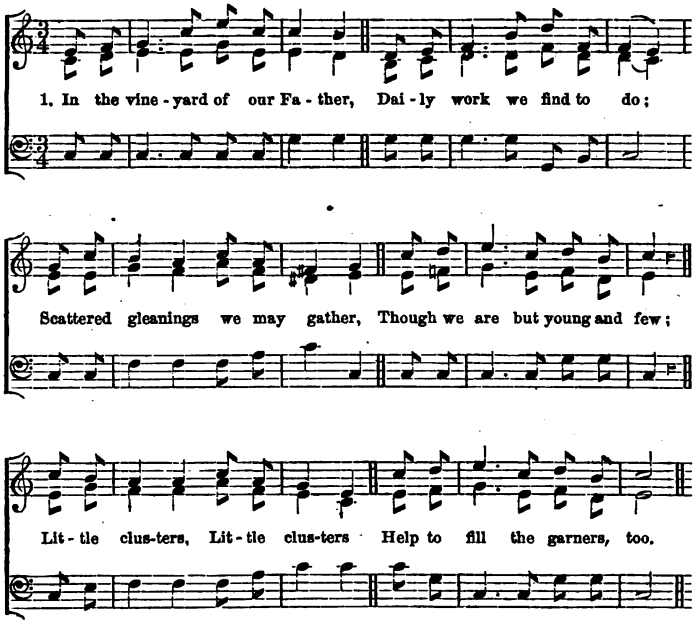

2 Toiling early in the morning,
Catching moments through the day,
Nothing small or lowly scorning,
So along our path we stray;
Gathering gladly
Free-will offerings by the way.

3 Not for selfish praise or glory,
Not for objects nothing worth—
But to send the blessed story
Of the Gospel o'er the earth,—
Telling mortals
Of our Lord and Saviour's birth.

59. WORK, FOR THE NIGHT IS COMING.

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1. Work, for the night is com - ing, Work thro' the morning hours,

Work while the dew is spark - ling, Work 'mid springing flow'rs;

Work when the day grows bright - er, Work in the glow - ing sun;

Work, for the night is com - ing, When man's work is done.

2 Work, for the night is coming,
Work through the sunny noon;
Fill brightest hours with labor,
Rest comes sure and soon;
Give every flying minute
Something to keep in store;
Work, *for the night* is coming,
When man works no more.

3 Work, for the night is coming,
Under the sunset skies;
While their bright tints are glowing,
Work, for daylight flies:
Work till the last beam fadeth,
Fadeth to shine no more;
Work while the night is darkening,
When man's work is o'er.

60. LUX BENIGNA.

Rev. J. B. Dykes.

1. Lead, kind-ly Light, a-mid the encircling gloom; Lead Thou me on: The night is dark, and I am far from home, Lead Thou me on. Keep Thou my feet: I do not ask to see The dis-tant scene; one step e-nough for me. *A-men.*

2 I was not ever thus, nor prayed that Thou
Shouldst lead me on;
I loved to choose and see my path; but now
Lead Thou me on.
I loved the garish day, and, spite of fears,
Which ruled my will: remember not past years.

3 So long Thy power hath blest me, sure it still
Will lead me on
O'er moor and fen, o'er crag and torrent, till
The night is gone;
And with the morn these angel faces smile
Which I have loved long since, and lost awhile. Amen.

61. RUSSIAN HYMN.

1. { Sav - iour, breathe an eve-ning bless-ing, Ere re - pose our spi - rits seal;
Sin and want we come con - fess - ing, Thou canst save, and Thou a - lone, }

Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah. A - men.

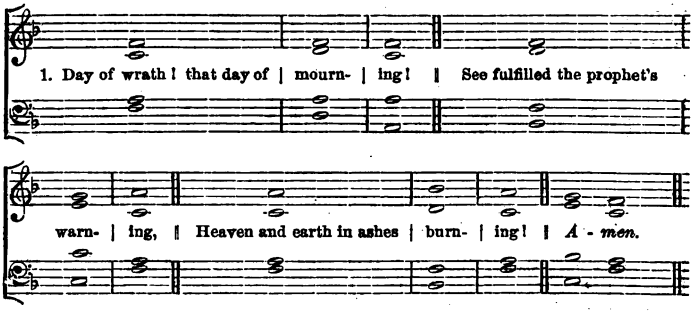
2. { Tho' destruc - tion walk a-round us, Though the ar - rows past us fly,
An - gel guards from Thee surround us, We are safe if Thou art nigh. }

Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah, Hal - le - lu - jah. A - men.

3 Though the night be dark and dreary,
Darkness cannot hide from Thee!
Thou our shepherd, never weary,
Watches where Thy people be. Hallelujah, &c.

4 Should swift death this night o'ertake us,
And our bed become our tomb,
May the morn in heav'n awake us,
Clad in bright and deathless bloom. Hallelujah, &c.

62. DIES IRÆ. Advent. (Burial of the Dead.) J. H. W.



2 Oh, what fear man's bosom rendeth,
When from heav'n the Judge descendeth,
On whose sentence all dependeth!

3 Wondrous sound the trumpet flingeth,
Through earth's sepulchres it ringeth,
All before the Throne it bringeth.

4 Death is struck, and nature quaking,
All creation is awaking,
To its Judge an answer making.

5 Lo, the Book exactly worded,
Wherein all hath been recorded!
Thence shall judgment be awarded.

6 When the Judge His seat attaineth,
And each hidden deed arraigneth,
Nothing unavenged remaineth.

7 What shall I, frail man, be pleading,
Who for me be interceding,
When the just are mercy needing?

8 King of majesty tremendous,
Who dost free salvation send us,
Fount of pity, then befriend us.

9 Think, good Jesu, my salvation
Caused Thy wondrous Incarnation;
Leave me not to reprobation.

10 Faint and weary Thou hast sought me,
On the Cross of suffering bought me;
Shall such grace be vainly brought me?

11 Righteous Judge! for sin's pollution
Grant Thy gift of absolution,
Ere that day of retribution.

12 Guilty, now I pour my moaning,
All my shame with anguish owning;
Spare, O God, Thy suppliant groaning.

13 Thou the sinful woman savedest;
Thou the dying thief forgavest;
And to me a hope vouchsafest.

14 Worthless are my prayers and sighing,
Yet, good Lord, in grace complying,
Rescue me from fires undying.

15 With Thy favored sheep O place me,
Not among the goats abase me;
But to Thy right hand upraise me.

16 While the wicked are confounded,
Doomed to flames of woe unbounded,
Call me, with Thy saints surrounded.

17 Low I kneel, with heart submission;
See, like ashes, my contrition;
Help me in my last condition.

18 Ah! that day of tears and mourning!
From the dust of earth returning,
Man for judgment must prepare him;

19 Spare, O God, in mercy spare him!
Lord, all pitying, Jesu blest,
Grant them Thine eternal rest. Amen.

63. ADVENT.

Rev. R. N. P.

1. Lo! He comes in clouds de - scend - ing, Once for fa - vor'd sin - ners slain; Thou - sand thou - sand saints at - tend - ing Swell the tri - umph of His train: Al - le - lu - ia! Al - le - lu - ia! Christ ap - pears on earth a - gain. *A - - - - men.*

2 Every eye shall now behold Him
Robed in dread majesty;
They who set at naught and sold Him,
Pierced and nailed Him to the tree,
Deeply wailing,
Shall the true Messiah see.

3 Those dear tokens of His passion
Still His dazzling Body bears;
Cause of endless exultation
To His ransomed worshippers;
With what rapture
Gaze we on those glorious scars.

4 Yea, Amen, let all adore Thee,
High on Thine eternal throne;
Saviour, take the power and glory:
Claim the kingdoms for Thine own;
Oh, come quickly!
Alleluia! Amen.

64. ADVENT. Anthem.

Isa. xv. 8. MACFARREN.

Drop down, ye heav- ens, from a - bove, and let the skies pour down

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65. ANY HOLYDAY ANTHEM.

Ps. xxxiv. 8. MACFARREN.

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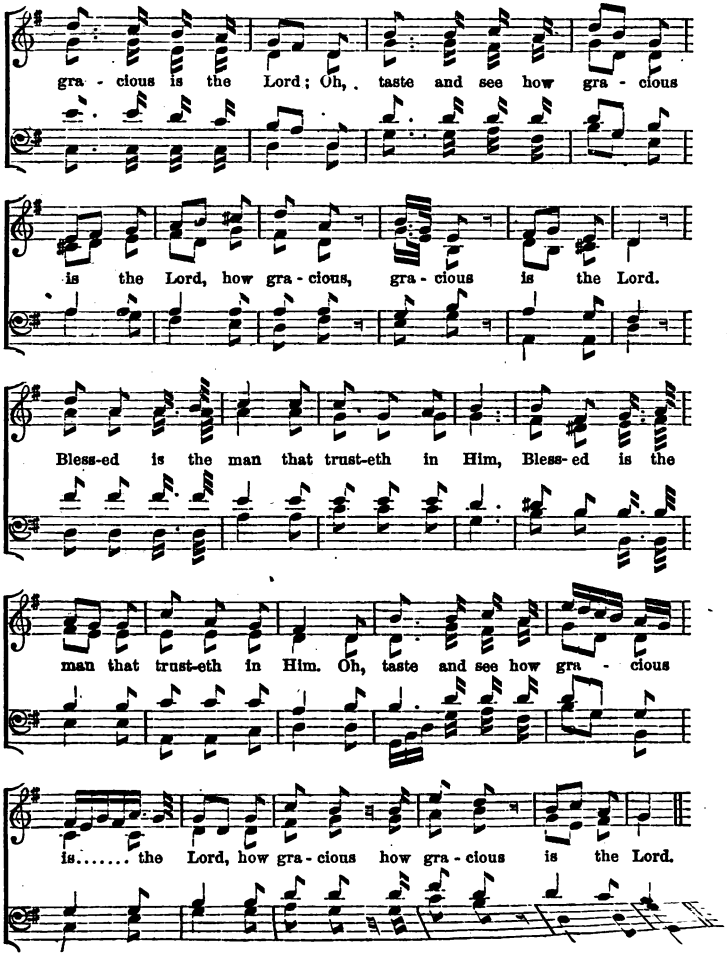
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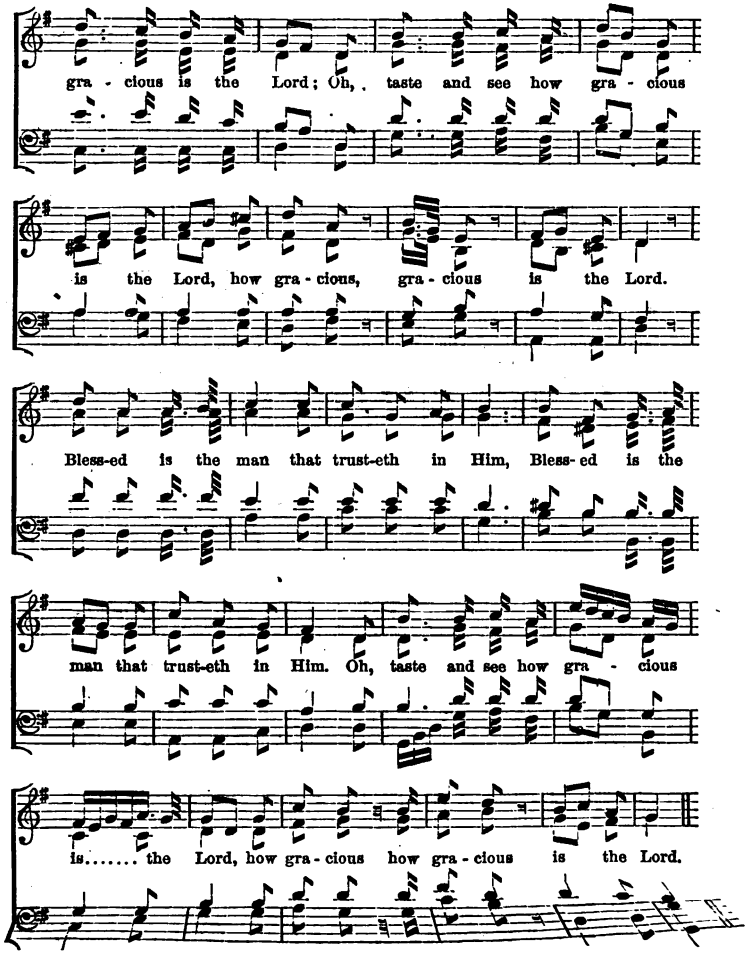
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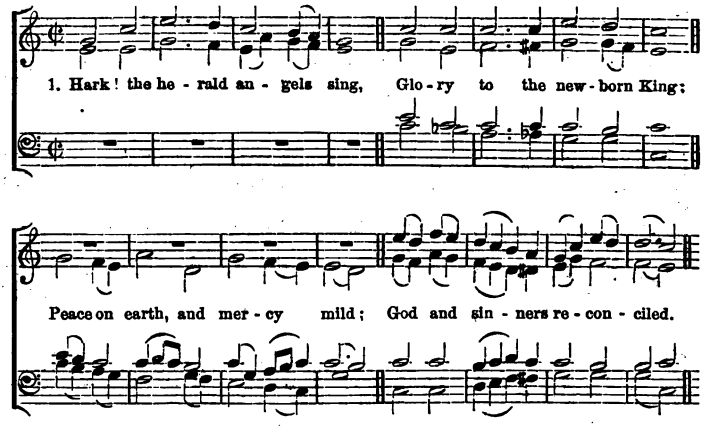
66. CHRISTMAS. Anthem.

HYMN 45. REV. R. N. P.



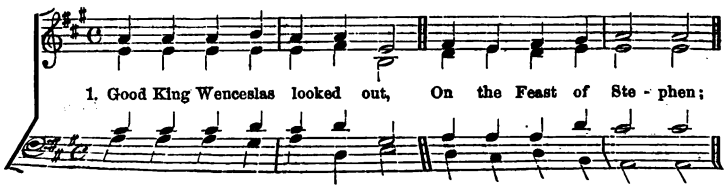
2 Joyful all ye nations rise,
Join the triumph of the skies;
With th' angelic host proclaim,
Christ is born in Bethlehem!

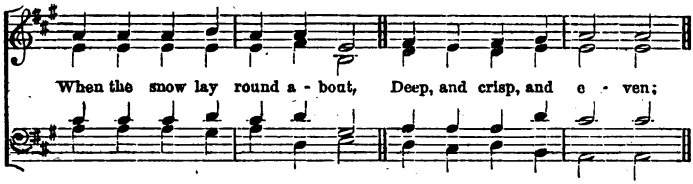
3 Christ, by highest heaven adored,
Christ, the everlasting Lord,
Late in time behold Him come,
Offspring of the Virgin's womb.

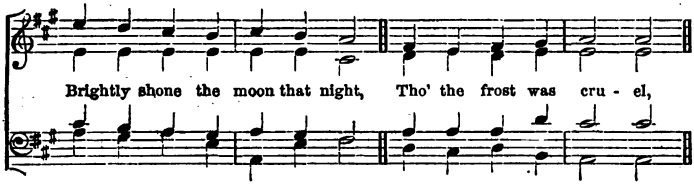
4 Veiled in flesh, the Godhead see:
Hail th' incarnate Deity,
Pleased, as man, with man to dwell;
Jesus, now Emmanuel.

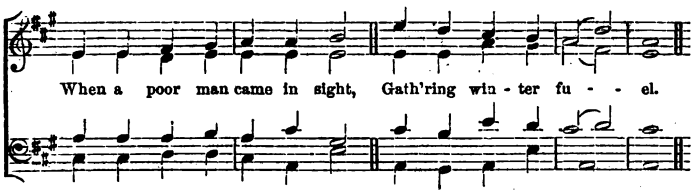
5 Risen with healing in His wings,
Light and life to all He brings;
Hail the Sun of righteousness!
Hail the heaven-born Prince of Peace!

67. CHRISTMAS CAROL.









2 "Hither, page, and stand by me,
If thou know'st it, telling,
Yonder peasant, who is he?
Where and what his dwelling?"
"Sire, he lives a good league hence,
Underneath the mountain;
Right against the forest fence,
By Saint Agnes' fountain."

3 "Bring me flesh, and bring me wine,
Bring me pine-logs hither;
Thou and I will see him dine,
When we bear them thither."
Page and monarch forth they went,
Forth they went together:
Through the rude wind's wild lament
And the bitter weather.

4 "Sire, the night is darker now,
And the wind blows stronger;
Fails my heart I know not how;
I can go no longer."
"Mark my footsteps, good my page,
Tread thou in them boldly:
Thou shalt find the winter's rage
Freeze thy blood less coldly."

5 In his master's steps he trod,
Where the snow lay dinted;
Heat was in the very sod
Which the Saint had printed.
Therefore, Christian men, be sure,
Wealth or rank possessing,
Ye who now will bless the poor
Shall yourselves find blessing.

68. CHRISTMAS CAROL.

"Nowell" means "Good News."

1. The first Now - ell, the An - gel did say, Was to three poor shepherds in fields as they lay; In fields where they lay keeping their sheep, In a cold winter's night that was so deep. Now - ell, Now - ell, Now - ell, Now - ell, Born is the King of Is - ra - el.

Chorus.

2 They lookéd up and saw a Star,
Shining in the East, beyond them far,
And to the earth it gave great light,
And so it continued both day and night.

3 And by the light of that same Star,
Three Wise Men came from country far;
To seek for a King was their intent,
And follow the Star wherever it went.

4 This Star drew nigh to the north-west,
O'er Bethlehem it took its rest,
And there it did both stop and stay,
Right over the place where Jesus lay.

5 Then enter'd in those Wise Men three,
Most reverently upon their knee,
And offer'd there, in His presence,
Both gold, and myrrh, and frankincense.

6 Then let us all with one accord,
Sing praises to our Heavenly Lord,
That hath made heaven and earth of nought,
And with His blood mankind hath bought.

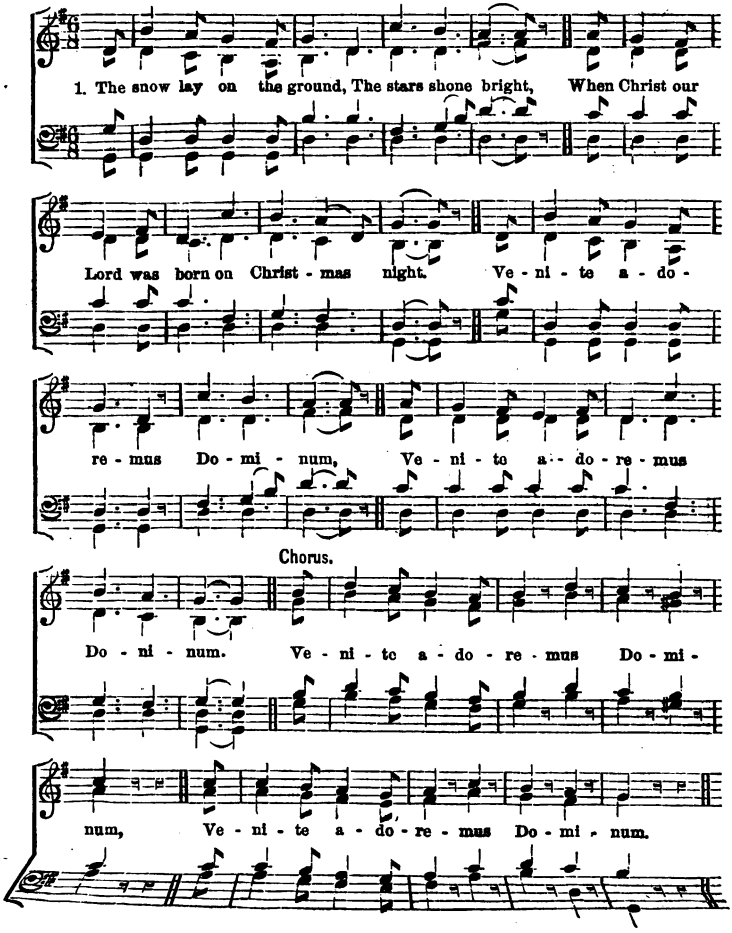
69. HERE IS JOY. Christmas Carol.

1. Here is joy for ev - ery age, Ev - ery ge - ne - ra - tion;
Prince and peas - ant, chief and sage, Ev - ery tongue and na - tion:
Ev - ery tongue and na - tion, Ev - ery rank and sta - tion,
Hath to - day sal - va - tion: Al - le - lu - - ia!.....

2 When the world drew near its close,
Came our Lord and Leader;
From the Lily sprang the Rose,
From the Bush the Cedar;
From the Bush the Cedar,
From the judg'd the Pleader,
From the faint the Feeder:
Alleluia!

3 God, that came on earth this morn,
In a manger lying,
Hallowed birth by being born,
Vanquished death by dying;
Vanquished death by dying,
Rallied back the flying,
Ended sin and sighing:
Alleluia!

70. THE SNOW LAY ON THE GROUND.



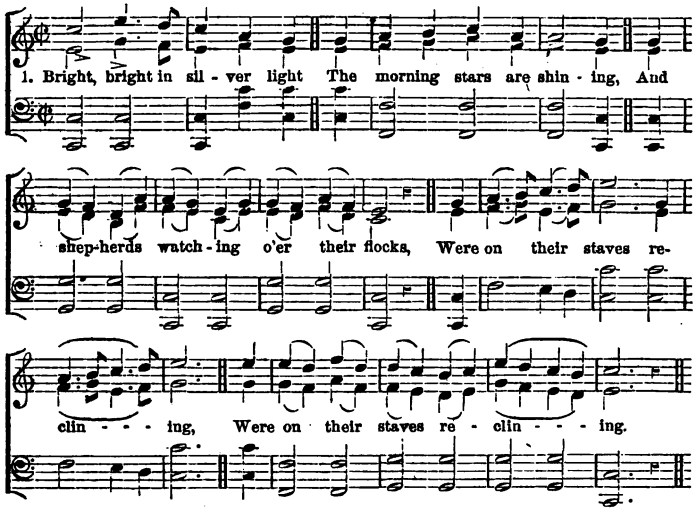
2 'Twas Mary, Virgin pure,
Of holy life,
That brought into this world
The God-made man.
She laid Him in a stall
At Bethlehem;
The ass and oxen shared
The roof with them.

3 Saint Joseph, too, was by
To tend the Child;
To guard Him, and protect
His mother, mild.
The angels hover'd round,
And sung this song,
Venite adoremus
Dominum!

4 And then that manger, poor,
Became a throne,
For He whom Mary bore
Was God, the Son.
Oh, come then, let us join
The Heavenly Host,
To praise the Father, Son,
And Holy Ghost.

71. CHRISTMAS CAROL.

MRS. T. I. HOLCOMBE.



2 Clear! clear! so very near,
A burst of music sounding,
That flocks and shepherds rose at once
With swelling hearts rebounding.

3 Loud! loud! the chorus greet,
Till all the air was swelling,
And from the heavens came a voice,
That joyful news was telling.

4 Peace! peace! on earth be peace,
Good will to brothers greeting,
Arise and hasten to the Babe,
Fast in the manger sleeping.

5 Joy! joy! a Child is born,
Foretold in ancient story,
Born to redeem our souls from sin,
'Tis Christ the Lord of glory.

72. ANGELS OF JESUS. Christmas.

1. Hark! hark, my soul; An - gel - ic songs are swell - ing O'er earth's green fields, and o-cean's wave-beat shore: How sweet the truth those blessed strains are tell - ing Of that new life when sin shall be no more. An - gels of Je - sus, An - gels of light, Sing - ing to wel - come the pilgrims of the night.

Chorus.

2 Onward we go, for still we hear them singing,
"Come, weary souls, for Jesus bids you come:"
And, through the dark its echoes sweetly ringing,
The music of the Gospel leads us home.

Cho. Angels of Jesus, Angels of light,
Singing to welcome the pilgrims of the night.

3 Far, far away, like bells at evening pealing,
The voice of Jesus sounds o'er land and sea,
And laden souls by thousands meekly stealing,
Kind Shepherd, turn their steps to Thee.—*Chorus.*

4 Rest comes at length, though life be long and dreary
The day must dawn, and darksome night be passed;
Faith's journey ends in welcome to the weary,
And heaven, the heart's true home, will come at last.—*Chorus.*

5 Angels, sing on! your faithful watches keeping;
Sing us sweet fragments of the songs above;
Till morning's joy shall end the night of weeping,
And life's long shadows break in cloudless love.—*Chorus.*

73. LITTLE CHILDREN, CAN YOU TELL? Christmas.

1. Lit - tle chil - dren, can you tell? Do you know the sto - ry well? Ev - ery girl and ev - ery boy, Why the an - gels sing for joy

2. Yes, we know the sto - ry well; Lis - ten now, and hear us tell, Ev - ery girl and ev - ery boy, Why the an - gels sing for joy

Chorus.

On the Christ-mas morn - - ing?
On the Christ-mas morn - - ing.

3 Shepherds sat upon the ground,
Fleecy flocks were scattered round,
When a brightness filled the sky,
And a voice was heard on high
On the Christmas morning.

4 "Joy and peace," the angels sang,
Far the pleasant echoes rang;
"Peace on earth! to men good will!"
Hark! the angels sing it still
On the Christmas morning.

5 For a little Babe that day
Cradled in a manger lay;
Born on earth our Lord to be;
This the wondering angels see
On the Christmas morning.

6 Joy our little hearts shall fill,
Peace and love, and all good-will;
This fair Babe of Bethlehem
Children loves, and blesses them
On the Christmas morning.

74. LUTHER'S CHRISTMAS HYMN. TUNE—"*Frank*," 33.

1 FROM heaven above to earth I come,
To bring glad news to every home;
Glad tidings of great joy I bring,
Whereof I now shall say and sing.

2 To you, this night, is born a child,
Of Mary, chosen mother mild;
This little child of lowly birth
Shall be the joy of all the earth.

3 He brings those blessings, long ago
Prepared by God for all below;
Henceforth His kingdom open stands
To you, as to the angel bands.

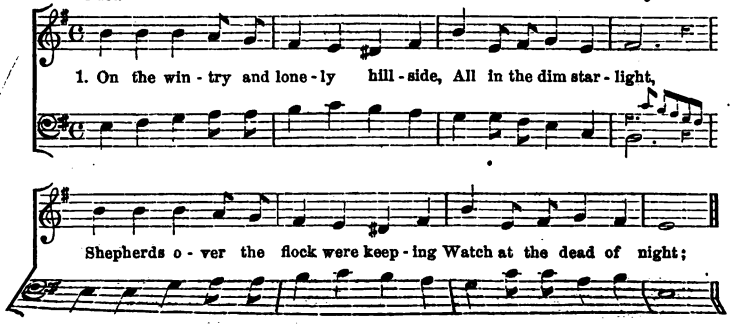
4 Now let us all with gladsome cheer
Follow the shepherds, and draw near
Who is this child so young and fair?
The blessed Christ-child lieth here.

5 My heart for very joy doth leap,
My lips no more can silence keep;
I, too, will sing with joyful tongue,
That sweetest ancient cradle song.

6 Glory to God in highest heaven,
Who unto man his Son has given!
While angels sing with pious mirth,
A glad New Year to all the earth!

75. THE ANGEL CHORUS. Christmas.

Duet.—SOPRANO AND BASS. *Words and Music by* JR.



Trio.—Soprano, Alto, and Bass.

When swift angels of light came down, And earth with ho - san - nas rang;

Harps of gold and che-ru-bic voi - ces Loud-ly and cheerly sang At Beth-le-hem:

Chorus.

Glo - ry to God in the high - est, And on earth peace, good - will to men.

2 Earth was wrapped in a robe of winter:
Kindly the new-fall'n snow
Drew the veil of a virgin whiteness
Pure over guilt and woe.
Beasts of prey on the frozen mountain,
Flocks on the charmed plain,
Nature all, in entranced rapture,
Listened to that sweet strain
From Bethlehem:—
Glory to God, &c.

3 Proudly marching along the forum,
Priests with a pompous train,
Closed the gates of the Roman Janus
Under a Cæsar's reign.
Every where, and in every nation,
War, with its carnage grim,
Shouts and groans, and the roar of battle,
Ceased for the Angel's hymn
At Bethlehem:—
Glory to God, &c.

4 Lo! each oracle of the heathen
Soon disenchanted proves:
Through the gloom of the dark Dodona,
Dumb are the oaken groves;
Dumb the voice of Apollo's priestess,
Delphi is left forlorn;
All the realms of the demons tremble,
Knowing their Conqueror born
At Bethlehem:—
Glory to God, &c.

5 Wide and wider at every Christmas
Echoes the joyful sound;
From Judea the glad good tidings
Now run the wide world round.
Sing, then sing, for the listening Angels,
Bending on eager wing,
Join us now in the royal chorus
They were the first to sing
At Bethlehem:—
Glory to God, &c.

76. THE CHILDREN IN THE TEMPLE. Christmas.

REV. DR. OGILBY. DR. H. S. CUTLER.

1. Ho - san - na to King David's Son, De - scend - ed from the

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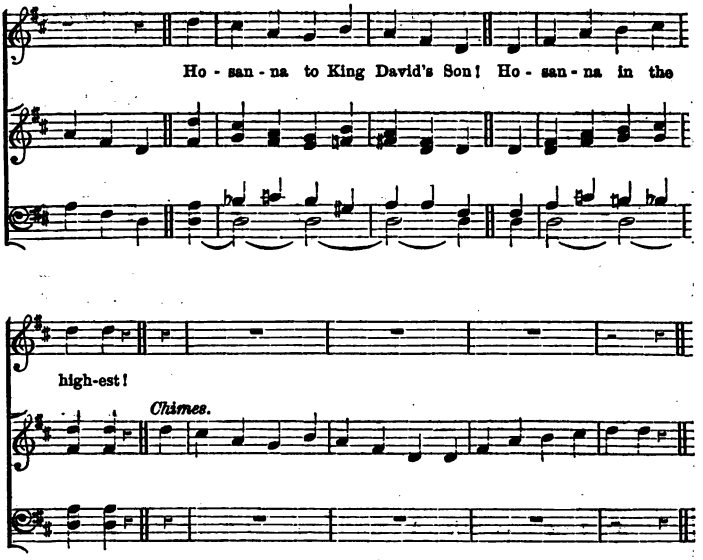
heav'nly throne; In Christmas songs we hail his birth, Who brought sal-vation

Chorus.

to the earth. Ho - san - na to King David's Son!



2.

Hosanna to the new-born Child,
Of virgin mother, meek and mild!
In manger cradle see Him laid,
By whom the earth and heavens were made.

Cho.—Hosanna to the wonderful!
Hosanna to the wonderful!
Hosanna in the highest!

3.

Hosanna to the incarnate Word,
In Bethlehem born! The mighty God!
Our hearts and tongues with joy should raise
Their glad hosannas to His praise!

Cho.—Hosanna to the mighty God!
Hosanna to the mighty God!
Hosanna in the highest!

4.

With shepherds on Judea's plains,
With Angels in their nobler strains;
Let our hosannas joyful rise
To join the anthems of the skies!

Cho.—Hosanna, everlasting Father!
Hosanna, everlasting Father!
Hosanna in the highest!

5.

Let every nation, every voice,
In merry Christmas songs rejoice;
Both old and young with gladness sing,
That Christ is born to be our King!

Cho.—Hosanna to the Prince of Peace!
Hosanna to the Prince of Peace!
Hosanna in the highest!

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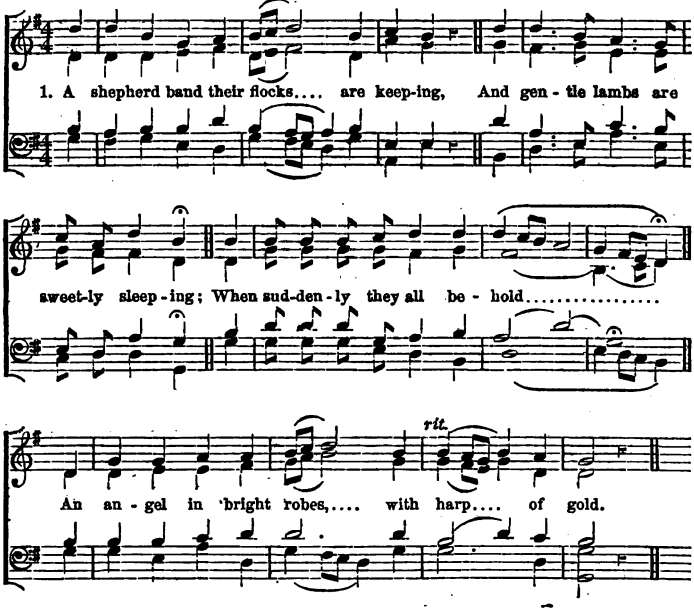
77. A SHEPHERD BAND.

PRAETORIUS, 1609.



2 Glad tidings of great joy he bringeth
The azure vault with anthems ringeth;
"Immanuel" awakes the song, [long.
And countless hosts the glorious theme pro-

3 "To you, this day, is born a Saviour,
Your Prophet, Priest, and King forever;
All glory be to God," they cry;
"All glory be to God," let earth reply.

4 "On earth be peace with mercy blending,
Good will to men, and love unending;"
Thus sweetly sing the angel throng,
And all the heavenly host rehearse the song.

5 Thro' field and wood the song resoundeth,
O'er hill and vale the chorus boundeth;
Exultingly the echoes roll, [pole.
And hymns of triumph spread from pole to

6 The shepherds view the host returning,
Their hearts with holy ardor burning;
To Bethlehem they wend their way,
Repeating with glad tongues th' angelic lay.

7 In haste they seek the heavenly Stranger;
They find the Babe laid in a manger;
With wonder and with awe they fall,
And joyfully adore Him, Lord of all!

8 Now every voice with rapture swelleth,
For Christ the Lord with mortals dwelleth;
Let men and angels Him adore,
And shout their loud hosannas evermore.

78. EPIPHANY.

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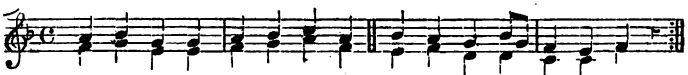
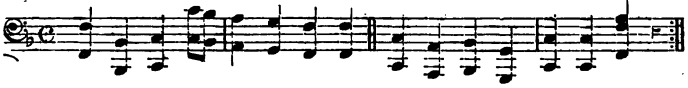
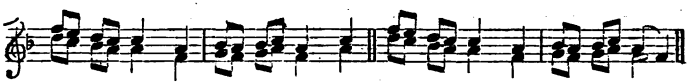
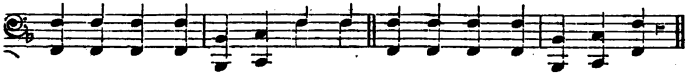


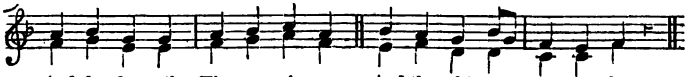
1. { Saw ye nev - er in the twilight, When the sun had left the skies, }
{ Up in heav'n the clear stars shining, Thro' the gloom like sil - ver eyes? }



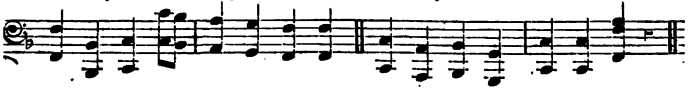


So of old, the wise men watching, Saw a lit - tle stranger star,





And they knew the King was giv - en, And they fol - lowed it from far.



2 Heard ye never of the story,
How they cross'd the desert wild,
Journey'd on by plain and mountain,
Till they found the Holy Child?
How they open'd all their treasure,
Kneeling to that Infant King,
Gave the gold and fragrant incense,
Gave the myrrh in offering?

3 Know ye not that lowly Baby
Was the bright and morning Star,
He who came to light the Gentiles
And the darkened isle afar?
And we too may seek His cradle,
There our hearts' best treasures bring,
Love, and Faith, and true devotion,
For our Saviour, God, and King.

79. EPIPHANY ANTHEM.

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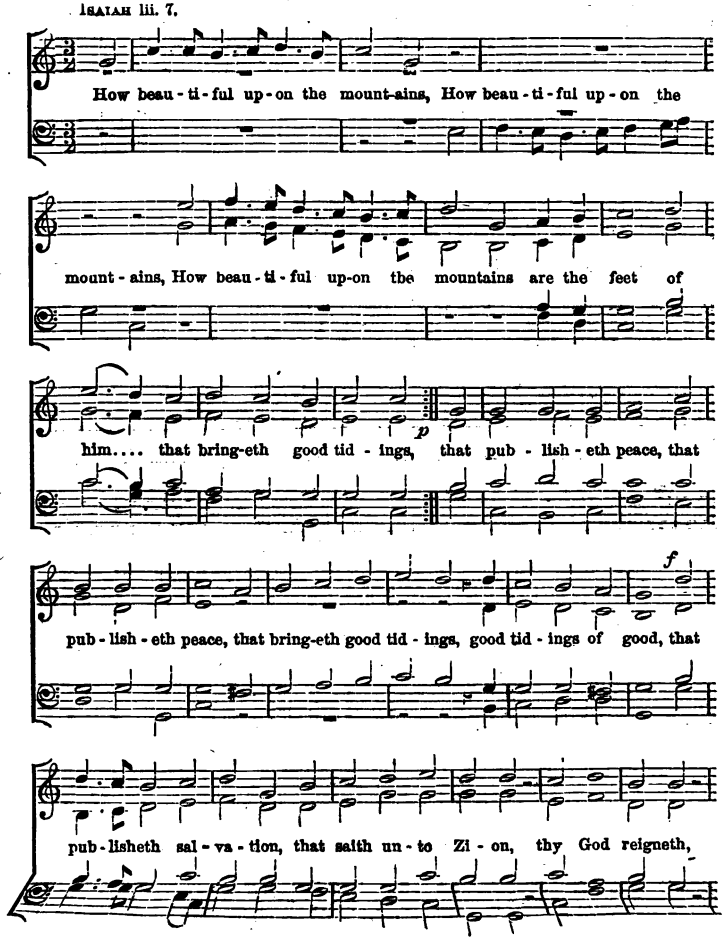


thy God reign - eth. Break forth in - to joy, sing to - gether,

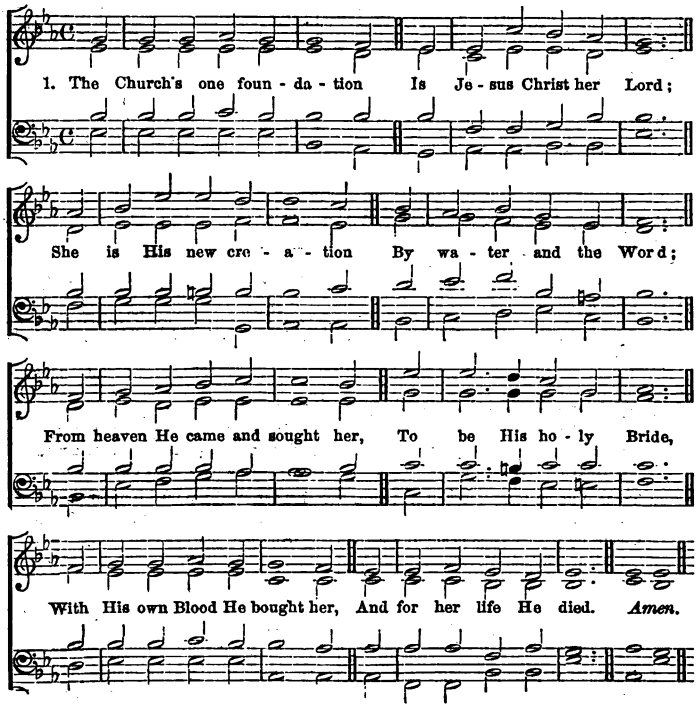
sing to - geth - er, ye waste places of Je - ru - sa - lem, for the

Lord hath com - fort - ed his peo - ple, He hath re - deem - ed Je -

ru - sa - lem. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Praise ye the

Lord. Hal - le - lu - jah! Hal - le - lu - jah! Praise ye the Lord.

80. EPIPHANY.



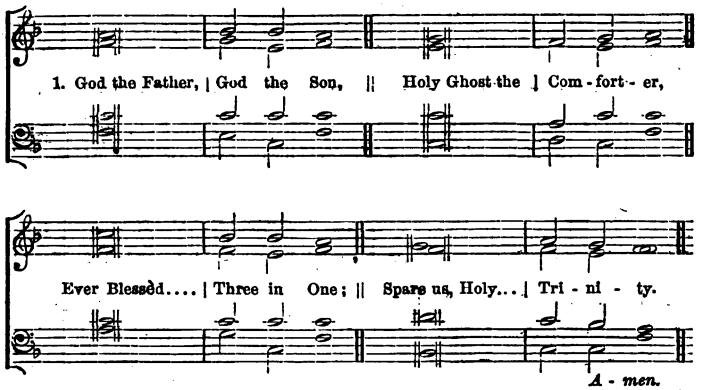
2 Elect from every nation,
Yet one o'er all the earth,
Her charter of salvation
One Lord, one Faith, one Birth:
One holy Name she blesses,
Partakes one holy Food,
And to one Hope she presses,
With every grace endued.

3 Though with a scornful wonder
Men see her sore opprest,
By schisms rent asunder,
By heresies distrest,
Yet saints their watch are keeping,
Their cry goes up, "How long?"
And soon the night of weeping
Shall be the morn of song.

4 'Mid toil, and tribulation,
And tumult of her war,
She waits the consummation
Of peace forevermore;
Till with the vision glorious
Her longing eyes are blest,
And the great Church victorious
Shall be the Church at rest. Amen.

81. LENT. Litany.

PEARCE.



2 Christ, Whose mercy | guideth still
Sinners from the | paths of ill,
Rule our hearts, our | spirits fill;
Hear us, | Holy Jesu.

3 Thou Who on the | Cross didst reign,
Dying there in | bitter pain,
Cleansing with Thy | blood our stain;
Hear us, | Holy Jesu.

4 Thou Whose will it is that we
Should from death re- | turn to Thee,
And should live e- | ternally;
Hear us, | Holy Jesu.

5 Shepherd of the | straying sheep,
Comforter of | them that weep,
Hear us crying | from the deep;
Hear us, | Holy Jesu.

6 In all pover- | ty and wealth,
In all sickness | and in health,
Ever from the | Tempter's stealth;
Save us, | Holy Jesu.

7 For all lack of | love and faith,
From a sudden, | evil death,
Thou Whose Arm de- | livereth
Save us, | *Holy* Jesu.

8 When our dying | draweth near;
On the last Great | Day of fear,
Master, King, Re- | deemer dear;
Save us, | Holy Jesu.

9 That in Thy pure | innocence
We may wash our | soul's offence,
And find truest | penitence;
We beseech | Thee, — Jesu.

10 That we give to | sin no place,
That we never | quench Thy grace,
That we ever | seek Thy Face;
We beseech | Thee, — Jesu.

11 That denying | evil lust,
Living godly, | meek, and just,
In Thee only | we may trust;
We beseech | Thee, — Jesu.

12 That to sin for | ever dead,
We may live to | Thee instead,
And the narrow | pathway tread;
We beseech | Thee, — Jesu.

13 When shall end the | battle sore,
When our pilgri- | mage is o'er,
Grant Thy peace for | evermore;
We beseech | Thee, — Jesu.

82. PALM SUNDAY.

J. H. W.

Boys. Girls. Both.

Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na, Ho - san - na, Praise ye the Lord.

Duet.

1. What are those soul-re - viv - ing strains Which ech - o thus from Sa-lem's plains?

Chorus.

What anthems loud and loud-er still, So sweet-ly sound from Zi - on's hill?

2 Lo! 'tis an infant chorus sings
Hosannas to the King of kings;
The Saviour comes, and babes proclaim
Salvation in Emanuel's Name.

3 Chief Priests and scribes their murmurs raise,
But Jesus owns the children's praise;
And now they make the temple ring,
With shouts of welcome to their King.

4 Messiah's Name shall joy impart,
Alike to Jew and Gentile heart;
We, too, would join in that glad song,
And evermore the strain prolong.

83. WORGAN. Easter.

1. Je - sus Christ has risen to - day, Al - - - - le - lu - - ia!

Our tri - umphant ho - ly day, Al - - - - le - lu - - ia!

Who did once up - on the Cross Al - - - - - le - lu - - ia.

Suf - fer to re - deem our loss. Al - - - le - lu - - ia! *A-men.*

2 Hymns of praise then let us sing Alleluia!
Unto Christ, our heavenly King, Alleluia!
Who endured the Cross and Grave, Alleluia!
Sinners to redeem and save. Alleluia!

But the pain which He endured Alleluia!
Our salvation hath procured; Alleluia!
Now above the sky He's King, Alleluia!
Where the angels ever sing. Alleluia! Amen.

84. EASTER ANTHEM.

Arr. from HAYDN.

1. Christ the Lord is ris'n to-day, Hal-le-lu-jah! hal-le-lu-jah!

Sons of men and an-gels say; Raise your joys and triumphs high,

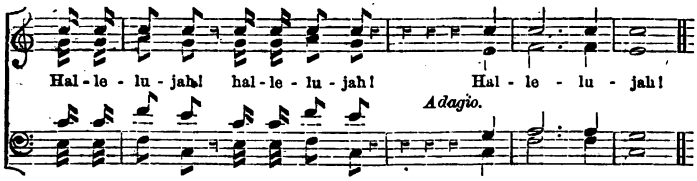
Hal-le-lu-jah! hal-le-lu-jah! Sing, ye heavens, and earth re-ply.

Omit in *last* verse, and go to *

Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah! Hal-le-lu-jah!

**After the last verse.*

And He shall reign for ev-er and ev-er, for ev-er and ev-er,



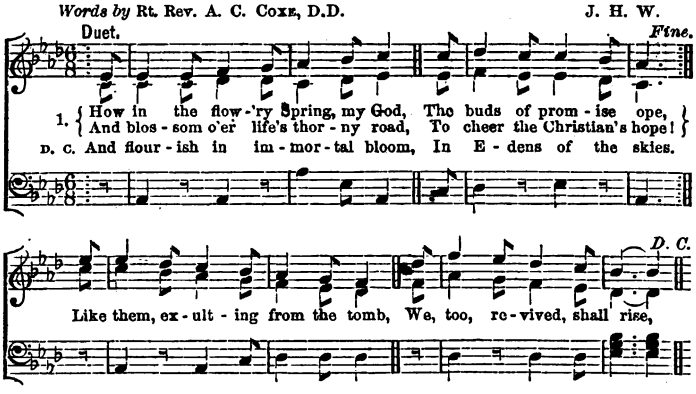
2 Love's redeeming work is done,
Fought the fight, the victory won;
Jesus' agony is o'er,
Darkness veils the earth no more.

3 Vain the stone, the watch, the seal,
Christ has burst the gates of hell;
Death in vain forbids Him rise,
Christ hath opened paradise.

4 Soar we now where Christ hath led,
Following our exalted Head:
Made like Him, like Him we rise;
Ours the cross, the grave, the skies.
And He shall reign for ever, &c.

85. EASTER CAROL.

Words by Rt. Rev. A. C. Coxe, D.D. J. H. W.



2 What though in pensive Autumn's wane,
Earth's sere grown glories fall,
And sleep through Winter's dull domain,
When death is writ on all;
Exulting, in the breaking year,
The lily doth unclose
And daisies o'er the waste appear,
And roses from the snows.

3 So then to dust, our dust shall turn,
So too shall rise and sing,
When falls upon the mouldered urn
The joyous dew of Spring:
The God that rears the tender flowers,
And breathes to life their dust,
From the cold grave will quicken ours,
And new-create the just.

86. JESUS LIVES. Easter Carol.

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1. Je - sus lives! O Day of Days! Glad we bring our grate - ful praise;

He is ris - en! Gone the gloom, An - gels sit with-in the tomb.

rall.

Vain the taunt of Jew de - ny - ing, Vain the vaunt o'er Je - sus dy - ing,

Heavenly voi - ces, from the grave, Now proclaim His pow'r to save.

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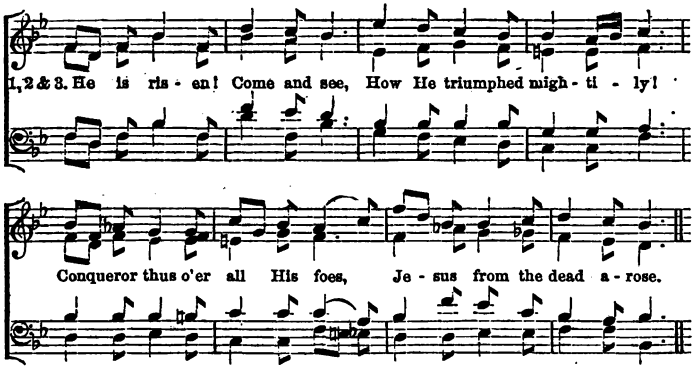

2 Lord and Prophet, spake He not?
Have ye His own words forgot,
Telling, while in Galilee,
Thus the victory should be?
How through scorn and dire affliction,
Thorny way and crucifixion,
Vanquished Death, and rent the grave,—
Christ the King should live to save.

Cho. He is risen! Come, &c.

3 Tearful to the sepulcher
Mary comes in grief and fear;
Sees the stone now rolled away,
Hears the waiting angels say:
"Why the dead among the living
Seek ye?" Lo! the Lord Life-giving
Rises! vain the watch, the grave:
Prince of Life, He lives to save!

Cho. He is risen! Come, &c.

4 Welcome then, the Day of Days!
Lord 'tis Thine our tuneful praise;
Thine, for us, the Tempted, Tried,
Thine, for us, the Crucified;
Thine for us the Resurrection,
Thine the Life, the Sure Protection.
Saviour! Sovereign o'er the grave,
May we know Thy pow'r to save.

Cho. He is risen! joyfully,
Lord! we raise our song to Thee,
Conqueror thus o'er all His foes,
Jesus from the dead arose.

87. EASTER ANTHEM.

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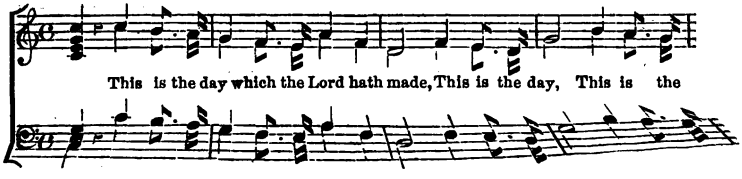

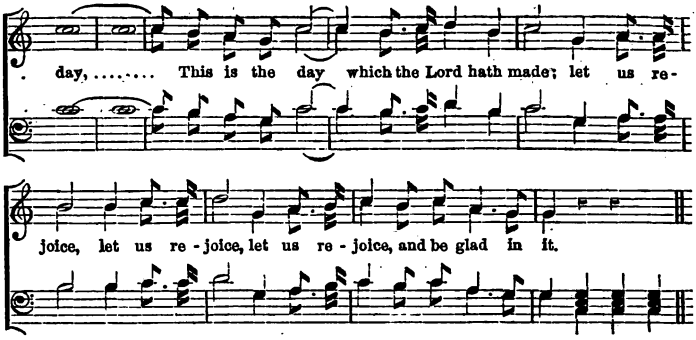

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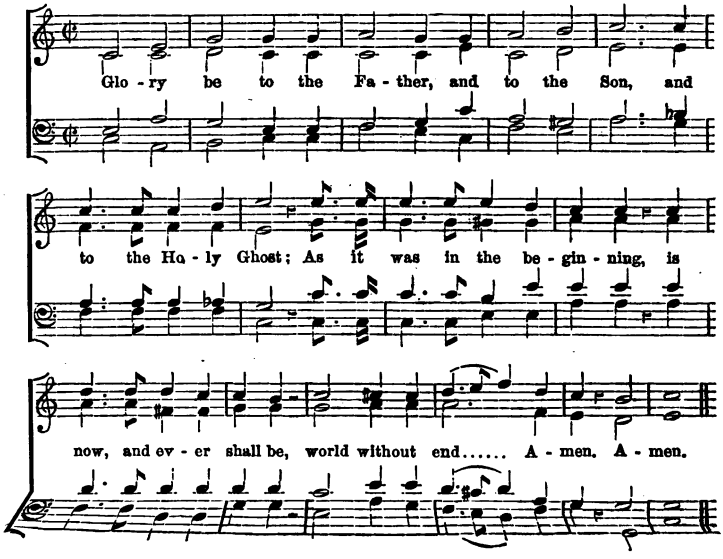


88. EASTER CAROL.

Words by REV. MARCUS LANE.

Chorus.

Sing, oh, sing, ye chil - dren, Sing ye joy - ful - ly; Christ our Lord hath

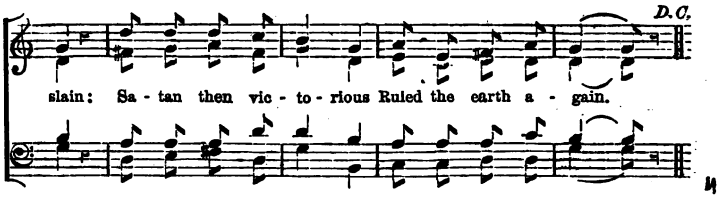
ris - en From death's cap - tiv - i - ty. Ris - en is our Sav - iour

Fine.

Christ our Lord and King, Therefore sing ye prais - es, Joy - ful hom - age bring.

1. Dark and sad the evening, When his foes prevail'd, When our Master's Bod - y

To the cross was nailed; E - vil foes had conquered, Ho - li - ness was



[*After last verse repeat Chorus.*

2 Follow to the garden,
To the rocky tomb,
Where His friends had laid Him
In the deepening gloom;
Roman guards are stationed,
Fixed the Jewish seal,
Lest, by night, the faithful
Should His Body steal.—*Cho.*

3 Vain were Roman soldiers,
Vain the Jewish seal,
Christ hath burst the prison!
Christ hath conquered hell!
Risen is our Saviour!
Christ our Lord and King!
Therefore sing ye praises,
Joyful homage bring.—*Cho.*

4 Ever in the heavens
Reigneth Christ our King,
And, His might extolling,
We His praises sing;
Sing the wondrous story
Of the joyful hour,
When the grave was conquered
By His mighty power.—*Cho.*

89. EASTER CAROL.

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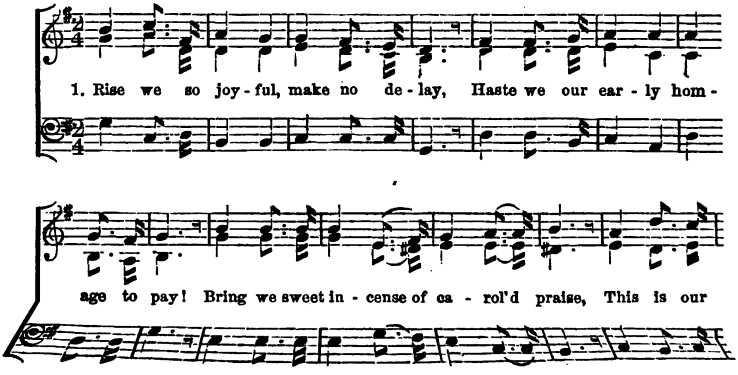
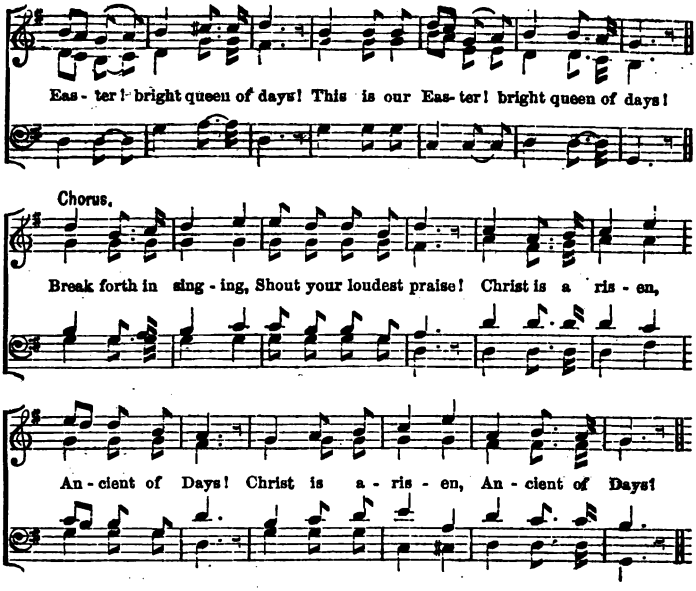




2 Jesu, the Saviour, bore cross and shame:
Christ by His Easter won kingly name!
Jesu, our Saviour, hallowed the grave;
Christ has redeemed us, mighty to save!—*Cho.*

3 Jesu, our Saviour, bore grief and pain;
Christ for us suffered not all in vain!
Jesu, dear Saviour, lived to obey;
Christ, the Redeemer, opens Heaven to-day!—*Cho.*

4 Jesu, our Saviour, suffered earth's needs;
Christ, the Redeemer, now intercedes!
Jesu, our Saviour, suffered alone;
Christ is now seated on the White Throne!—*Cho.*

5 After the dark night comes the bright day,
Clear from death's shadows see Living Way!
Where is grave's victory? where is death's sting?
Christ is arisen! Christ is our King!—Cho.

90. ALLELUIA. Easter.

Words by Rev. Marcus Lane.

Chorus.

Christ is ris - en! Al - le - lu - ia! Ris - en our vic - torious Head!

Fine.

Sing His prai - ses! Al - le - lu - ia! Christ is ris - en from the dead!

1. All the doubt - ing and de - jec - tion Of our trembling hearts have ceased,

D. C.

'Tis His day of re - sur - rec - tion, Let us rise and keep the feast.

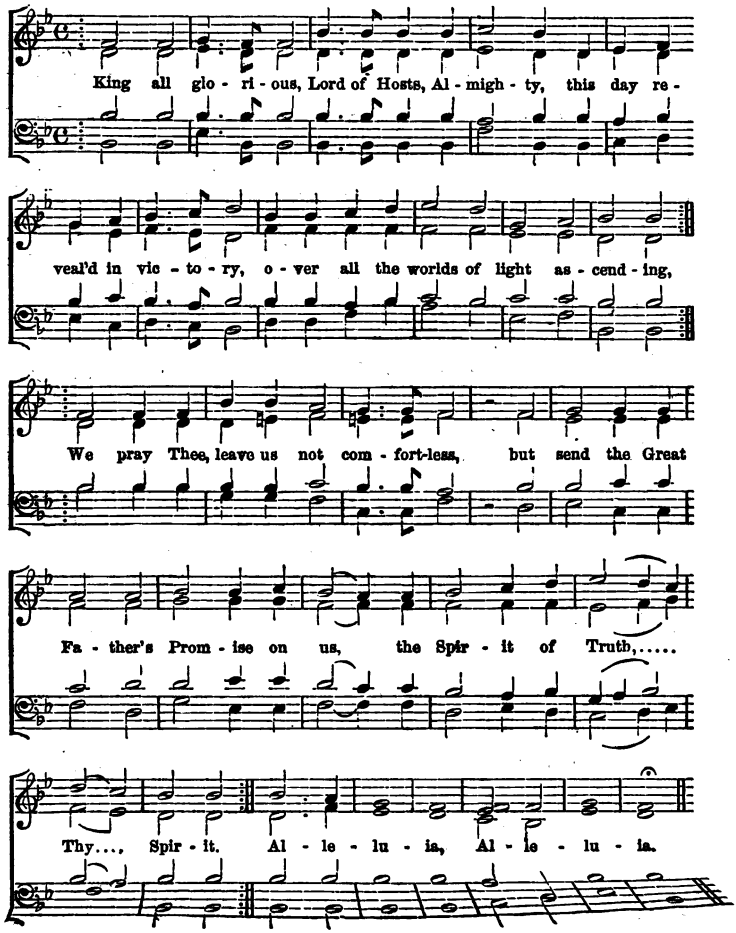
2 Christ is risen! henceforth never
Death or hell shall us enthrall;
Be with Christ, in Him forever
We have triumphed over all.—*Cho.*

3 *Gratefully our hearts adore Him,*
As His light once more appears,
Bowing down in joy before Him,
Rising up from grief and tears.—*Cho.*

4 Death and hell before Him bending,
He doth rise the Victor now;
Angels on His steps attending,
Glory round His wounded brow.—Cho.

91. ASCENSION ANTHEM.

EASTERN CHURCH.



92. WHITSUN-DAY ANTHEM.

Ps. lviii. 6, 9, 11. GILL.

Set up Thy - self, O God, Set up Thy-

Set up Thy - self, O God, a -

Set up Thy-

self, O God,

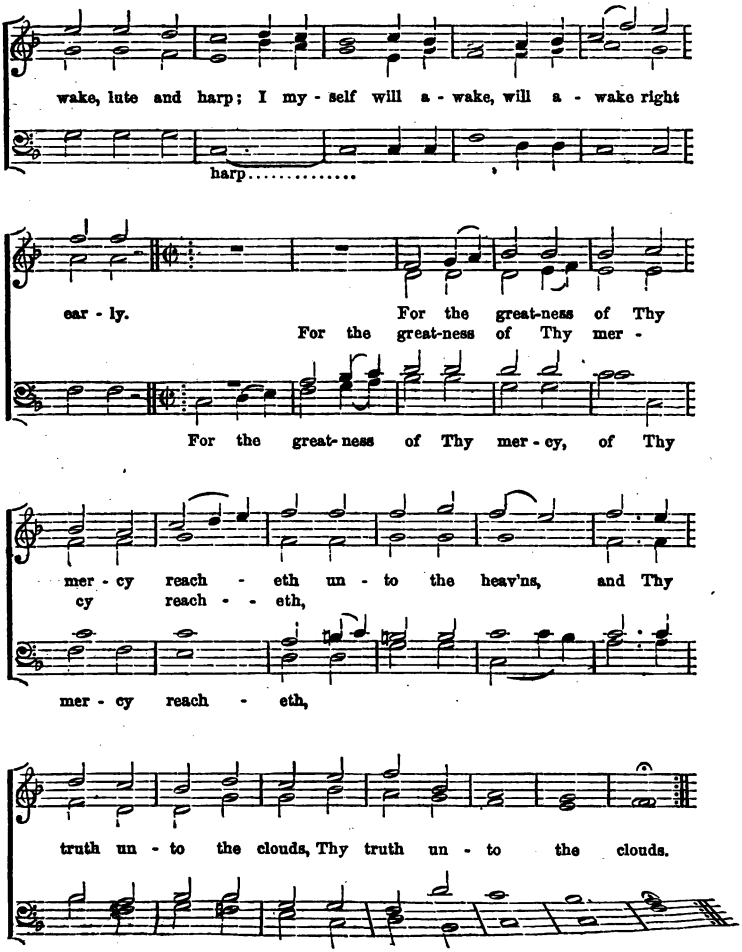
bove the heav'ns, a - bove the heav'ns, and Thy glo - ry, Thy

self, O God,

Set up Thy - self, O God, a - bove the heav'ns, and Thy

glo - ry a - bove all the earth. A - wake up, my

glo - ry, a - wake, a - wake, a - wake up, my glo - ry, a -


wake, lute and harp; I my - self will a - wake, will a - wake right
harp.....
ear - ly.
For the great-ness of Thy
For the great-ness of Thy mer -
For the great-ness of Thy mer - cy, of Thy
mer - cy reach - eth un - to the heav'ns, and Thy
cy reach - - eth,
mer - cy reach - eth,
truth un - to the clouds, Thy truth un - to the clouds.

93. TRINITY-TIDE ANTHEM.

Ps. xxvii. 4. MACFARREN.

One thing have I de - sir - ed of the Lord, One thing have I de -

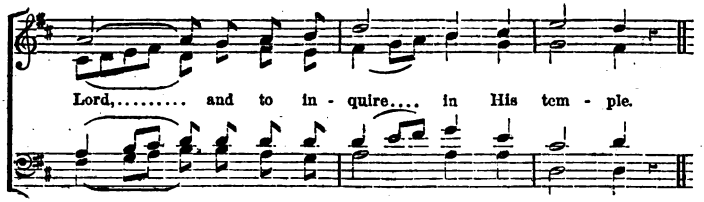
1st time. 2d time.

sir - ed of the Lord, af - ter that will I seek, seek; that I may

dwell in the house of the Lord all the days of my life,

to be - hold the beau - ty of the Lord,..... and to in -

quire in His tem - ple; to be - hold the beau - ty of the



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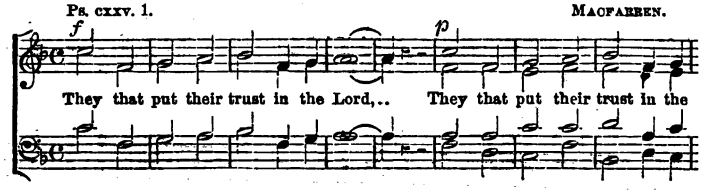

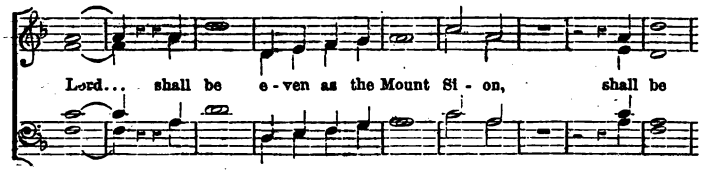

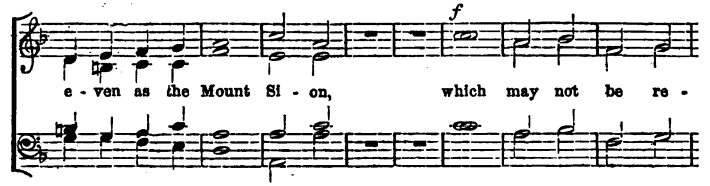

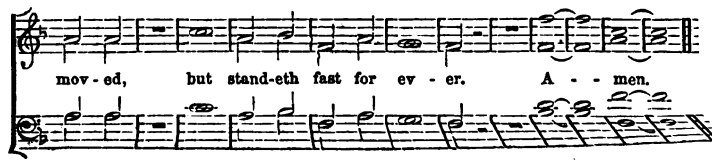

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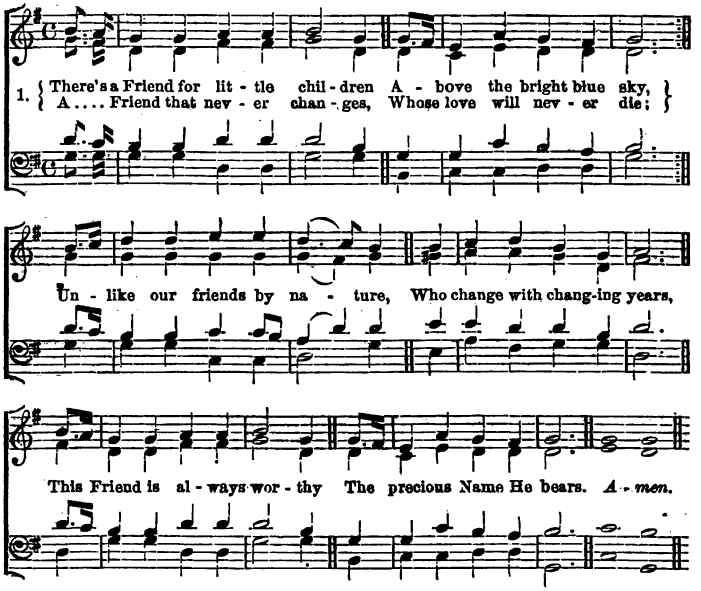


2 There's a rest for little children
Above the bright blue sky,
Who love the blessed Saviour
And to His Father cry:
A rest from every trouble
From sin and sorrow free;
There every little pilgrim
Shall rest eternally.

3 There's a home for little children,
Above the bright blue sky,
Where Jesus reigns in glory,
A home of peace and joy;
No home on earth is like it,
Nor can with it compare,
For every one is happy,
Nor can be happier there.

4 There's a crown for little children,
Above the bright blue sky,
And all who look to Jesus
Shall wear it by and by;
A crown of brightest glory
Which He shall sure bestow,
On all who love the Saviour,
And walk with Him below.

5 There's a song for little children,
Above the bright blue sky,
And a harp of sweetest music
For their hymn of victory:
And all above is pleasure,
And found in Christ alone;
O come, dear little children,
That all may be your own. Amen.

96. ONE THERE IS.

MOZART.

1. One there is a - bove all oth - ers Well deserves the name of Friend;

His is love be - yond a brother's, Cost - ly, free, and knows no end.

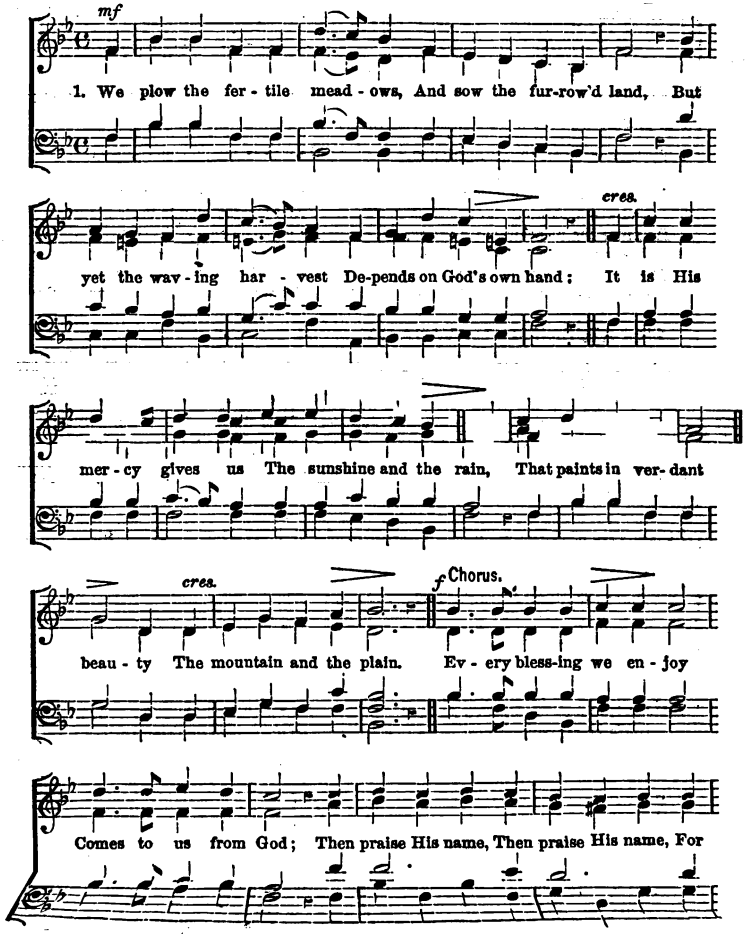
Which of all our friends to save - us, Could or would have shed his blood?

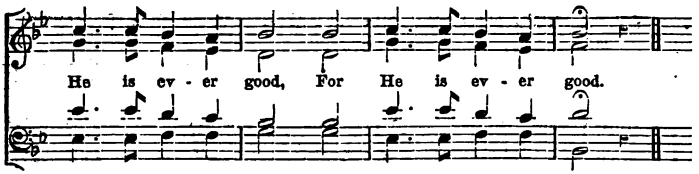
But this Sav - iour died to have us Re - con - ciled, in Him, to God.

2 When He lived on earth abased,
Friend of sinners was His name;
Now, above all glory raised,
He rejoices in the same.
Oh, for grace our hearts to soften!
Teach us, Lord, at length to love;
We, alas! forget too often
What a Friend we have above. Amen.

97. A THANKSGIVING HYMN.

J. A. P. Schulz.

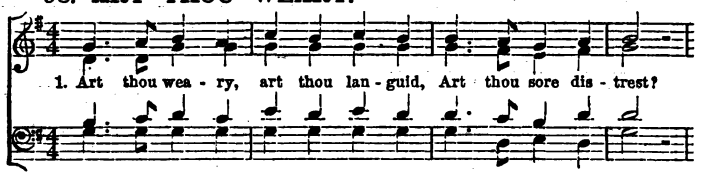


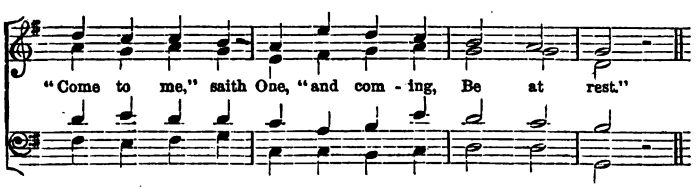


2 By Him were all things fashioned,
Around us and afar;
He made the earth and ocean,
And every shining star;
He made the pleasant spring-time,
The summer bright and warm,
The golden days of autumn,
The winter and the storm.—*Cho.*

3 He makes the glorious sun-set,
The moon to sail on high;
He bids the breezes fan us,
And stormy clouds to fly;
He gives us every blessing;
To Him our lives we owe;
He sent His Son to save us
From sin, and death, and woe.—*Cho.*

98. ART THOU WEARY.





2 Hath He marks to lead me to Him,
If He be my guide?
"In His Feet and Hands are Wound-
And His Side!" [prints,

3 Hath He Diadem as Monarch
That His Brow adorns?
"Yea, a Crown, in very surety,
But of thorns."

4 If I find Him, if I follow,
What His guerdon here?
"*Many a sorrow*, many a labor,
Many a tear."

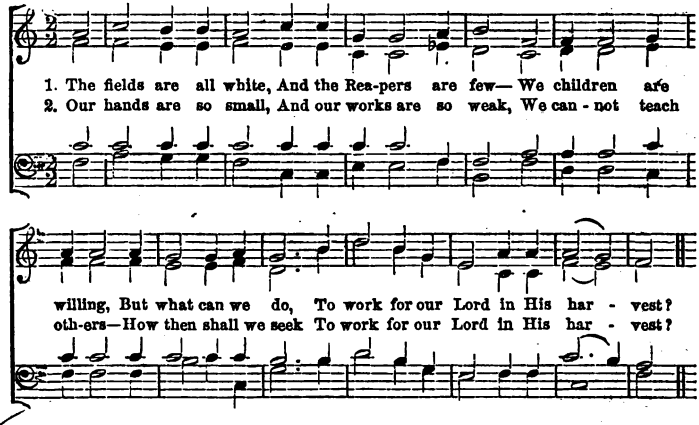
5 If I still hold closely to Him,
What hath He at last?
"Sorrow vanquished, labor ended,
Jordan past."

6 If I ask Him to receive me,
Will He say me nay!
"Not till earth, and not till heaven
Pass away."

7 Finding, following, keeping, struggling,
Is He sure to bless?
"Angels, Martyrs, Prophets, Virgins,
Answer, Yes!"

99. THE LABORERS ARE FEW.

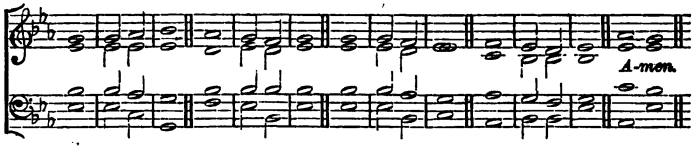
REV. J. H. W.



3 We'll work by our prayers,
By the pennies we bring,
By small self-denials—
The least little thing
May work for our Lord in His harvest.

4 Until, by and by,
As the years pass, at length
We too may be Reapers,
And go forth in strength
To work for our Lord in His harvest.

100. THY WILL BE DONE.



1 MY God, my Father, | while I | stray,
Far from my home, in | life's rough | way,
Oh, teach me from my | heart to | say,
"Thy | will be | done."

2 Though dark my path, and | sad my | lot,
Let me be still and | murmer | not,
Or breathe the prayer di-/vinely | taught,
"Thy / will be / done."

3 What though in lonely | grief I | sigh
For friends beloved no | longer | nigh,
Submissive would I | still re- | ply,
"Thy | will be | done."

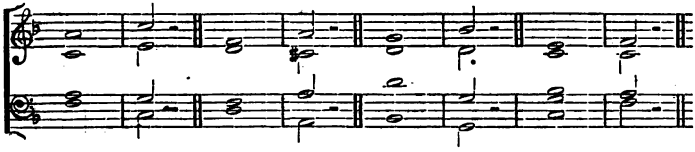
4 If Thou shouldst call me | to re- | sign
What most I prize, it | ne'er was | mine;
I only yield Thee \ what is \ Thine;
"Thy | will be | done."

5 Let but my fainting | heart be | blest
With Thy sweet Spirit | for its | guest,
My God, to Thee I | leave the | rest;
"Thy | will be | done."

6 Renew my will from | day to | day,
Blend it with Thine, and | take a- | way
All that now makes it | hard to | say,
"Thy | will be | done." | Amen.

NUNC DIMITTIS.

OWENS.



1. LORD, now lettest Thou Thy servant depart in peace, according to Thy | word.
2. For mine eyes have seen Thy sal- | vation,
3. Which Thou hast prepared before the face of all | people,
4. A light to lighten the Gentiles, and the Glory of Thy people Isra- | el.

Glory be to the Father, and to the | Son,
And to the Holy | Ghost;
As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall | be,
World without end. A- | men.

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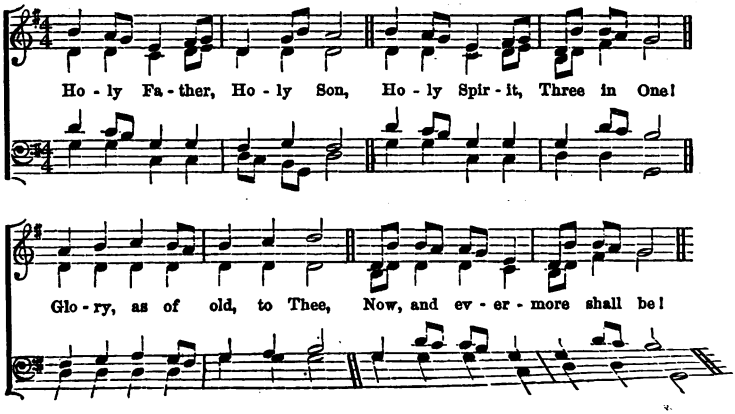

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LET the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be alway acceptable in Thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my Redeemer.—*Ps.* xix. 14, 15.

I will arise, and go to my Father, and will say unto Him; Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before Thee, and am no more worthy to be called Thy son.—*St. Luke* xv. 18, 19.

Enter not into judgment with Thy servant, O Lord; for in Thy sight shall no man living be justified.—*Ps.* cxliii. 2.

If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us; but if we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.—1 *John* i. 8, 9.

Let us pray. (*All kneeling.*)

Say the Lord's Prayer, or chant to No. 1, Common Praise.

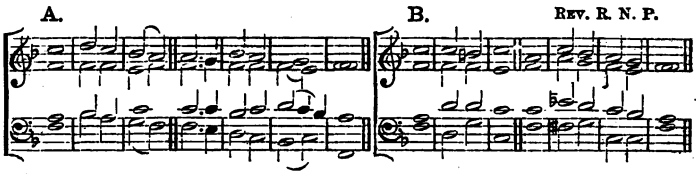
OUR Father, Who art in heaven, Hallowed | be Thy | Name;
Thy kingdom come; Thy will be done on | earth, as it | is in | heaven;
Give us this day our | daily | bread;
And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who | trespass a- | gainst — | us;
And lead us not into temptation; But deliver | us from | evil;
For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for | ever and | ever. A- | men.

O Lord, open thou our lips; [*See p.* 20, *C. P.*]
Ans. And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

Here, all standing up, the Minister shall say,

Glory be to the Father | and to the | Son, | and | to the | Holy | Ghost;
Ans. As it was in the beginning, is now, and | ever shall | be, | world | without | end. A- | men.
Min. Praise ye the Lord.
Ans. The Lord's name be praised.

At Morning Prayer chant the Venite.



1. O come, let us sing un- | to the | Lord; ‖ let us heartily rejoice in the | strength of | our sal- | vation.

2. Let us come before his presence | with thanks- | giving, ‖ and show ourselves | glad in | him with | psalms.

3 For the Lord is a | great — | God, ‖ and a great | King a- | bove all | gods.

4. In his hand are all the corners | of the | earth; ‖ and the strength of the | hills is | his — | also.

5. The sea is his | and he | made it, ‖ and his hands pre- | pared the | dry — | land.

6. O come, let us worship | and fall | down; ‖ and kneel be- | fore the | Lord our | Maker.

7. For he is the | Lord our | God, ‖ and we are the people of his pasture, and the | sheep of | his — | hand.

8. O worship the Lord in the | beauty of | holiness; ‖ let the whole earth | stand in | awe of | him.

9. For he cometh, for he cometh to | judge the | earth, ‖ and with righteousness to judge the world, and the | people | with his | truth.

Gloria Patri.

Glory be to the Father, | and to the | Son, ‖ and | to the | Holy | Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and | ever shall | be, ‖ world | without | end. A- | men.

Here may be sung a Carol, Introit, or Anthem.

At Morning Prayer, after the Lesson from the Holy Scriptures, chant the Benedictus.

1. Blessed be the Lord | God of | Israel; ‖ for he hath visited | and re- | deemed his | people:

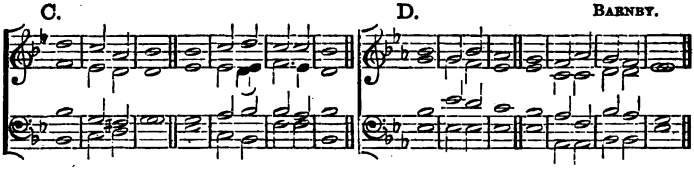
2. And hath raised up a mighty sal- | vation | for us, | in the house | of his | servant | David:

3. As he spake by the mouth of his | holy | Prophets, ‖ which have been | since the | world be- | gan;

4. That we should be saved | from our | enemies, ‖ and from the | hand of | all that | hate us.

Glory be to the Father, &c.

At Evening Prayer, after the Lesson, chant the Bonum est.



1. It is a good thing to give thanks un- | to the | Lord: ‖ and to sing praises unto thy | Name, O | Most — | Highest;

2. To tell of thy loving-kindness early | in the | morning; ‖ and of thy | truth in the | night — | season;

3. Upon an instrument of ten strings, and up- | on the | lute: ‖ upon a loud instrument, | and up- | on the | harp.

4. For thou Lord hast made me glad | through thy | works: ‖ and I will rejoice in giving praise for the ope- | rations | of thy | hands.

Glory be to the Father, &c.

The Apostles' Creed. (*All standing.*)

1. I BELIEVE in God the Father ⌈ Al- — | mighty ‖ Maker of | Heaven | and — | Earth.
2. And in | Jesus | Christ ‖ His only | Son — | our — | Lord;
3. Who was conceived by the | Holy | Ghost, ‖ born | of the | Virgin | Mary;
4. Suffered under | Pontius | Pilate, ‖ Was crucified | dead — | and — | buried.
5. He descended into Hell; the third day He rose | from the | dead; ‖ He ascended into Heaven; and sitteth on the right hand of God the | Father | Al- — | mighty;
6. From thence | He shall | come ‖ to judge the | quick — | and the | dead.
7. I believe in the | Holy | Ghost; ‖ The Holy Catholic Church; The Com- | munion | of — | Saints;
8. The forgiveness | of — | sins; ‖ The Resurrection of the body; and the | life — | ever- ⌈ lasting. ‖ A- | men.

The Lord be with you. [*See No. 74, C. P.*]

Answer. And with thy spirit.

Minister. Let us pray.

O Lord, show thy mercy upon us.

Answer. And grant us thy salvation.

Minister. O God, make clean our hearts within us.

Answer. And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

At Morning Prayer.—A Collect for Peace.

O GOD, Who art the author of peace and lover of concord, in knowledge of Whom standeth our eternal life, Whose service is perfect freedom; defend us, Thy humble servants, in all assaults of our enemies; that we, surely trusting in Thy defence, may not fear the power of any adversaries, through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

At Morning Prayer.—A Collect for Grace.

O LORD, our heavenly Father, Almighty and everlasting God, Who hast safely brought us to the beginning of this day; defend us in the same with Thy mighty power;

and grant that this day we fall into no sin, neither run into any kind of danger; but that all our doings, being ordered by Thy governance, may be righteous in Thy sight, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

At Evening Prayer.—A Collect for Peace.

O God, from Whom all holy desires, all good counsels, and all just works do proceed; give unto Thy servants that peace which the world cannot give; that our hearts may be set to obey Thy commandments, and also that by Thee, we, being defended from the fear of our enemies, may pass our time in rest and quietness, through the merits of Jesus Christ our Saviour. *Amen.*

At Evening Prayer.—A Collect for Aid against Perils.

O Lord, our heavenly Father, by Whose Almighty power we have been preserved this day; by Thy great mercy defend us from all perils and dangers of this night, for the love of Thy only Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

A Prayer for the President of the United States, and all in Civil Authority.

O Lord, our heavenly Father, the high and mighty Ruler of the universe, Who dost from Thy throne behold all the dwellers upon earth: most heartily we beseech Thee, with Thy favor to behold and bless Thy servant, *The President of the United States*, and all others in authority; and so replenish them with the grace of Thy Holy Spirit, that they may always incline to Thy will, and walk in Thy way; Endue them plenteously with heavenly gifts; grant them in health and prosperity long to live; and finally, after this life, to attain everlasting joy and felicity, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

The following Prayers are to be omitted here, when the Litany is read.

A Prayer for the Clergy and People.

Almighty and everlasting God, from Whom cometh every good and perfect gift, send down upon our Bishops and other Clergy, and upon the Congregations committed to their charge, the healthful spirit of Thy grace; and, that they may truly please Thee, pour upon them the continual dew of Thy blessing: Grant this, O Lord, for the honor of our Advocate and Mediator Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

A Prayer for all Conditions of Men.

O God, the Creator and Preserver of all mankind, we humbly beseech Thee for all sorts and conditions of men, that Thou wouldest be pleased to make Thy ways known unto them, Thy saving health unto all nations. More especially we pray for Thy holy Church universal; that it may be so guided and governed by Thy good Spirit, that all who profess and call themselves Christians, may be led into the way of truth, and hold the faith in unity of Spirit, in the bond of peace, and in righteousness of life. Finally, we commend to Thy Fatherly goodness, all those who are any ways afflicted or distressed in mind, body, or estate; that it may please Thee to comfort and relieve them, according to their several necessities: giving them patience under their sufferings, and a happy issue out of all their afflictions: And this we beg for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

A General Thanksgiving.

ALMIGHTY God, Father of all mercies, we, Thine unworthy servants, do give Thee most humble and hearty thanks for all Thy goodness and loving-kindness to us, and to all men. We bless Thee for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life; but, above all, for Thine inestimable love in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ; for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory. And we beseech Thee, give us that due sense of all Thy mercies, that our hearts may be unfeignedly thankful, and that we may show forth Thy praise, not only with our lips, but in our lives; by giving up ourselves to Thy service, and by walking before Thee in holiness and righteousness all our days, through Jesus Christ our Lord; to Whom, with Thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

A Prayer of St. Chrysostom.

ALMIGHTY God, Who hast given us grace at this time, with one accord to make our common supplications unto Thee; and dost promise that when two or three are gathered together in Thy Name, Thou wilt grant their requests; fulfil now, O Lord, the desires and petitions of Thy servants, as may be most expedient for them; granting us in this world knowledge of Thy truth, and in the world to come life everlasting. *Amen.*

2 Cor. xiii. 14.

THE grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. *Amen.*

SPECIAL PRAYERS.

DIRECT us, O Lord, in all our doing, with Thy most gracious favor, and further us with Thy continual help; that in all our works began, continued, and ended in Thee, we may glorify Thy holy Name, and finally, by Thy mercy, obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

O GOD, Holy Ghost, Sanctifier of the Faithful, visit, we pray Thee, these children with Thy love and favor; enlighten their minds more and more with the light of the everlasting Gospel; graft in their hearts a love of the Truth; increase in them true religion; nourish them with all goodness; and of Thy great mercy keep them in the same, O blessed Spirit, whom, with the Father and the Son together, we worship and glorify as one God, world without end. *Amen.*

BLESSED Lord, who hast caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning; Grant that we may in such wise hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that by patience, and comfort of Thy holy Word, we may embrace, and ever hold fast, the blessed hope of everlasting life, which Thou hast given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

O LORD Jesus Christ, we humbly beseech Thee to send us, in this our time of need, a more abundant supply of chosen ministers to seek Thy lost and wandering sheep and bring them into Thy fold. Stir up the minds of parents that, like pious Hannah of old, they may lend their offspring to the service of the Lord; and move the hearts of children, that many sons like Samuel may grow up in holy nurture, and be established as prophets of the Lord. Bring our Sunday Schools more and more under the influence of Thy Blessed Word and Holy Spirit, and grant that in this School many worthy candidates may be trained up for the Gospel Ministry; all which we ask through Thy merits and intercession, who art, with the Father and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

O LORD Jesus, our merciful Redeemer, Who didst call children to Thee, and didst take them in Thy arms and bless them; give Thy blessing to us also, we beseech Thee, this day and through the whole course of our lives. Grant that we may ever love Thee above all things, and with our whole hearts; and that we may earnestly seek after that happiness for which we were created. Bless our dear parents, relations, teachers, pastors, and benefactors, preserve them from all evil, and direct them to all good; and grant that we may meet in Thy eternal kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. *Amen.*

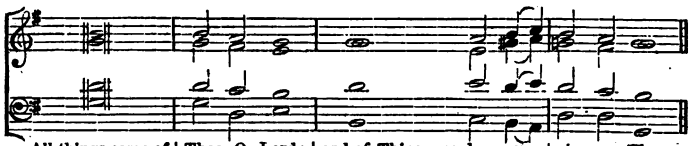
At the Close of School.

GRANT, we beseech Thee, Almighty God, that the words which we have heard this day with our outward ears, may, through Thy grace, be so grafted inwardly in our hearts, that they may bring forth in us the fruit of good living, to the honour and praise of Thy Name: through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

ALMIGHTY Father, Who hast promised that they who early seek Thy heavenly wisdom shall find it more precious than all the treasures of this world, send down on these children the grace and blessing of Thy Holy Spirit; that they being trained up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord, may choose and love Thy way, and depart from it no more forever; and that when Thou makest up Thy jewels in Thy glorious kingdom, these children may be there, and may be Thine; all which we ask for the sake of Thy Holy Child Jesus, our only Saviour and Redeemer. *Amen.*

Benediction.

THE Lord bless us, and keep us. The Lord make His face to shine upon us, and be gracious unto us. The Lord lift up His countenance upon us, and give us peace, both now and evermore. *Amen.*



FORM OF

Prayer to be used in Families.

MORNING PRAYER.

The Master or Mistress having called together as many of the Family as can conveniently be present, let one of them, or any other whom they shall think proper, say as follows, all kneeling.

OUR Father, who art in heaven, hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses. As we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation. But deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Acknowledgment of God's mercy and preservation, especially through the night past.

ALMIGHTY and everlasting God, in whom we live and move and have our being; we, Thy needy creatures, render Thee our humble praises, for Thy preservation of us from the beginning of our lives to this day, and especially for having delivered us from the dangers of the past night. To Thy watchful providence we owe it,* (that no disturbance hath come nigh us or our dwelling; but that we are brought in safety to the beginning of this day.) For these Thy mercies, we bless and magnify Thy glorious Name; humbly beseeching Thee to accept this our morning sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving; for His sake who lay down in the grave, and rose again for us, Thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Dedication of soul and body to God's service, with a resolution to be growing daily in goodness.

AND, since it is of Thy mercy, O gracious Father, that another day is added to our lives; We here dedicate both our souls and our bodies to Thee and Thy service, in a sober, righteous, and godly life: in which resolution, do Thou, O merciful God, confirm and strengthen us; that as we grow in age, we may grow in grace, and in the knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

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* *When disturbances of any kind befall a family*, instead of this, say, "that notwithstanding *our dangers*, we are brought in safety to the beginning of this day."

Prayer for grace to enable us to perform that resolution.

But, O God, who knowest the weakness and corruption of our nature, and the manifold temptations which we daily meet with; We humbly beseech Thee to have compassion on our infirmities, and to give us the constant assistance of Thy Holy Spirit; that we may be effectually restrained from sin, and excited to our duty. Imprint upon our hearts such a dread of Thy judgments, and such a grateful sense of Thy goodness to us, as may make us both afraid and ashamed to offend Thee. And, above all, keep in our minds a lively remembrance of that great day, in which we must give a strict account of our thoughts, words, and actions; and according to the works done in the body, be eternally rewarded or punished, by Him whom thou hast appointed the Judge of quick and dead, Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For grace to guide and keep us the following day, and for God's blessing on the business of the same.

In particular we implore Thy grace and protection for the ensuing day. Keep us temperate in our meats and drinks, and diligent in our several callings. Grant us patience under any affliction Thou shalt see fit to lay on us, and minds always contented with our present condition. Give us grace to be just and upright in all our dealings; quiet and peaceable; full of compassion; and ready to do good to all men, according to our abilities and opportunities. Direct us in all our ways,* [and prosper the work of our hands in the business of our several stations.] Defend us from all dangers and adversities; and be graciously pleased to take us, and all things belonging to us, under Thy Fatherly care and protection. These things, and whatever else Thou shalt see necessary and convenient to us, we humbly beg, through the merits and mediation of Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour. Amen.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. Amen.

EVENING PRAYER.

The Family being together, a little before bed time, let the Master or Mistress, or any other whom they shall think proper, say as follows, all kneeling.

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name, Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not

* *On Sunday morning, instead of this, say,* "and let Thy Holy Spirit accompany us to the place of Thy public worship, making us serious and attentive, and raising our minds from the thoughts of this world to the consideration of the next, that we may fervently *join in the prayers and praises* of Thy Church, and listen to our duty with honest hearts, *in order to practice it.*"

into temptation; But deliver us from evil: For Thine is the kingdom, and the power and the glory, forever and ever. Amen.

Confession of sins, with a prayer for contrition and pardon.

Most merciful God, who art of purer eyes than to behold iniquity, and hast promised forgiveness to all those who confess and forsake their sins: We come before Thee in an humble sense of our own unworthiness, acknowledging our manifold transgressions of Thy righteous laws.* But, O gracious Father, who desirest not the death of a sinner, look upon us, we beseech Thee, in mercy, and forgive us all our transgressions. Make us deeply sensible of the great evil of them; and work in us an hearty contrition; that we may obtain forgiveness at Thy hands, who art ever ready to receive humble and penitent sinners; for the sake of Thy Son Jesus Christ, our only Saviour and Redeemer. Amen.

Prayer for grace to reform and grow better.

And lest, through our own frailty, or the temptations which encompass us, we be drawn again into sin, vouchsafe us, we beseech Thee, the direction and assistance of Thy Holy Spirit. Reform whatever is amiss in the temper and disposition of our souls; that no unclean thoughts, unlawful designs, or inordinate desires, may rest there. Purge our hearts from envy, hatred, and malice; that we may never suffer the sun to go down upon our wrath; but may always go to our rest, in peace, charity, and good-will, with a conscience void of offence towards Thee, and towards men: That so we may be preserved pure and blameless, unto the coming of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Intercession.

And accept, O Lord, our intercessions for all mankind. Let the light of Thy gospel shine upon all nations; and may as many as have received it, live as becomes it. Be gracious unto Thy Church; and grant that every member of the same, in his vocation and ministry, may serve Thee faithfully. Bless all in authority over us: and so rule their hearts and strengthen their hands, that they may punish wickedness and vice, and maintain Thy true religion and virtue. Send down Thy blessings, temporal and spiritual, upon all our relations, friends, and neighbours. Reward all who have done us good, and pardon all those who have done or wish us evil, and give them repentance and better minds. Be merciful to all who are in any trouble: and do Thou, the God of pity, administer to them according to their several necessities; for His sake who went about doing good, Thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

The Thanksgiving.

To our prayers, O Lord, we join our unfeigned thanks for all Thy mercies; for our being, our reason, and all other endowments and faculties of soul and body; for our health, friends, food, and raiment, and all the comforts and conveniences of life. Above all, we adore Thy mercy in sending Thy only Son into the world, to redeem us from sin and eternal death, and in giving us the knowledge and sense of our duty towards Thee. We

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* *Here let him who reads make a short pause, that every one may secretly confess the sins and failings of that day.*

bless Thee for Thy patience with us, notwithstanding our many and great provocations; for all the directions, assistances, and comforts of Thy Holy Spirit; for Thy continual care and watchful providence over us through the whole course of our lives; and particularly for the mercies and benefits of the past day: beseeching Thee to continue these Thy blessings to us; and to give us grace to show our thankfulness in a sincere obedience to His laws, through whose merits and intercession we received them all, Thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Prayer for God's protection through the night following.

In particular, we beseech Thee to continue Thy gracious protection to us this night. Defend us from all dangers and mischiefs, and from the fear of them; that we may enjoy such refreshing sleep as may fit us for the duties of the following day. Make us ever mindful of the time when we shall lie down in the dust; and grant us grace always to live in such a state, that we may never be afraid to die; so that, living and dying, we may be Thine, through the merits and satisfaction of Thy Son Christ Jesus, in whose Name we offer up these our imperfect prayers. Amen.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. Amen.

On Sundays and on other days, when it may be convenient, it will be proper to begin with a Chapter, or a part of a Chapter, from the New Testament.

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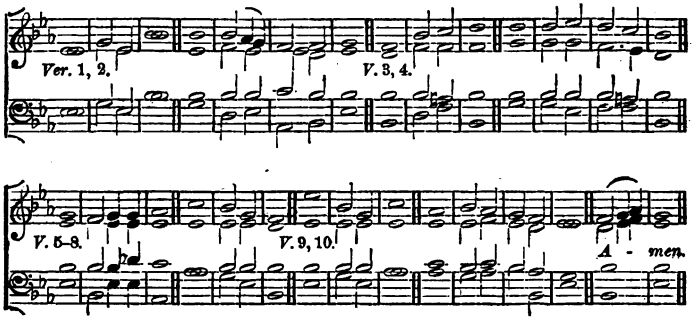


Introits and Collects

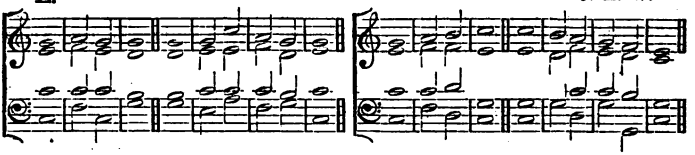
FOR

EVERY SUNDAY OF THE CHRISTIAN YEAR.

Selected by the Rt. Rev. A. C. COXE, D.D.

THE FIRST SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

E. J. H. W.



Ps. l. 3–6, 22, 23.—*Verse.* Our God shall come, and shall | not keep | silence; ‖ there shall go before him a consuming fire, and a mighty tempest shall be | stirred up | round about | him.

Response. He shall call the heaven | from a- | bove: ‖ and the earth, that | he may | judge his | people.

V. Gather my saints together | unto | me: ‖ those that have made a covenant with | me with | sacri- | fice.

R. And the heavens shall declare his | righteous- | ness: ‖ for | God is | Judge him- | self.

V. O consider this, ye that for- | get — | God: ‖ lest I pluck you away, and there be none | to de- | liver | you.

R. Whoso offereth me thanks and praise, he | honoreth | me: ‖ and to him that order- eth his conversation right, will I | show the sal- | vation of | God.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, give us grace that we may cast away the works of darkness, and put upon us the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life, in which Thy Son Jesus Christ came to visit us in great humility: that in the last day when He shall come again in His glorious Majesty to judge both the quick and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal, through Him who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, now and ever. *Amen.*

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

Ps. xix.—*V.* The heavens declare the | glory of | God: ‖ and the firmament | showeth his | handy- | work.

R. One day | *telleth* an- | other: ‖ and one night \ certi- \ fieth an- \ other.

V. There is neither | speech nor | language: ‖ but their | voices are | heard a- | mong them.

R. Their sound is gone out into | all — | lands: ‖ and their words into the | ends — | of the | world.

V. In them hath he set a tabernacle | for the | sun: ‖ which cometh forth as a bridegroom out of his chamber, and rejoiceth as a | giant to | run his | course.

R. It goeth forth from the uttermost part of the heaven, and runneth about unto the end of | it a- | gain: ‖ and there is nothing hid | from the | heat there- | of.

V. The law of the Lord is an undefiled law, con- | verting the | soul; ‖ the testimony of the Lord is sure, and giveth | wisdom | unto the | simple.

R. The statutes of the Lord are right, and re- | joice the | heart; ‖ the commandment of the Lord is pure, and giveth | light un- | to the | eyes.

V. The fear of the Lord is clean, and en- | dureth for- | ever: ‖ the judgments of the Lord are true and | righteous | alto- | gether.

R. More to be desired are they than gold, yea, than | much fine | gold: ‖ sweeter also than honey | and the | honey- | comb.

V. Moreover by them is thy | servant | taught: ‖ and in keeping of them | there is | great re- | ward.

R. Who can tell how oft | he of- | fendeth: ‖ O cleanse thou me | from my | secret | faults.

V. Keep thy servant also from presumptuous sins, lest they get the dominion | over | me: ‖ so shall I be undefiled, and innocent | from the | great of- | fence.

R. Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation | of my | heart, ‖ be alway ac- | ceptable | in thy | sight.

V. O | — — | Lord, ‖ my | strength and | my Re- | deemer.

COLLECT.—Blessed Lord, Who hast caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning; Grant that we may in such wise hear them, read, mark, learn, and inwardly digest them, that by patience, and comfort of Thy Holy Word, we may embrace, and ever hold fast the blessed hope of everlasting life, which Thou hast given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

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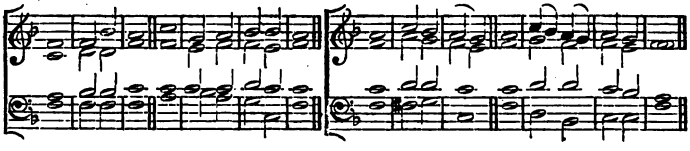


Ps. lxviii. 7–10.—*V.* O God, when thou wentest forth be- | fore the | people: ‖ when *thou wentest | through the |* wilder- | ness.

R. The earth shook, and the heavens dropped at the \ presence of \ God; \ even as Si*nai also was moved at the presence of* God, who is the \ God of \ Isra- \ el.

V. Thou, O God, sentest a gracious rain upon thine in- | herit- | ance: ‖ and refresh-edst | it when | it was | weary.

R. Thy congregation shall | dwell there- | in: ‖ for thou, O God, hast of thy goodness pre- | pared | for the | poor.

COLLECT.—O Lord Jesus Christ, Who at Thy first coming didst send Thy messenger to prepare Thy way before Thee; Grant that the ministers and stewards of Thy mysteries may likewise prepare and make ready Thy way, by turning the hearts of the disobedient to the wisdom of the just, that at Thy second coming to judge the world we may be found an acceptable people in Thy sight, Who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN ADVENT.

Ps. lxxii. 1-9.—*V.* Give the King thy judgments, | O — | God: ‖ and thy righteousness un- | to the | King's — | Son.

R. Then shall he judge thy people according | unto | right; ‖ and de- | fend — | the — | poor.

V. The mountains also | shall bring | peace; ‖ and the little hills righteousness | un- — | to the | people.

R. He shall keep the simple folk | by their | right: ‖ defend the children of the poor, and | punish the | wrong — | doer.

V. They shall fear thee as long as the sun and | moon en- | dureth: ‖ from one gener- | ation | to an- | other.

R. He shall come down like the rain into a | fleece of | wool; ‖ even as the | drops that | water the | earth.

V. In his time shall the | righteous | flourish: ‖ yea, and abundance of peace, so long | as the | moon en- | dureth.

R. His dominion shall be also from the one sea | to the | other: ‖ and from the flood un- | to the | world's — | end.

V. They that dwell in the wilderness shall | kneel be- | fore him: ‖ his enemies | shall — | lick the | dust.

COLLECT.—O Lord, raise up, we pray Thee, Thy power, and come among us, and with great might succour us; that whereas, through our sins and wickedness, we are sore let and hindered in running the race that is set before us, Thy bountiful grace and mercy may speedily help and deliver us; through the satisfaction of Thy Son, our Lord, to Whom, with Thee and the Holy Ghost, be honour and glory, world without end. *Amen.*

CHRISTMAS-DAY.

P. cx.—*V.* The Lord said un- | to my | Lord: ‖ Sit thou down on my right hand, until I make thine | enemies | thy foot- | stool.

R. The Lord shall send the rod of thy power | out of | Sion; ‖ be thou ruler even in *the midst a- / mong thine* | ene- | mies.

V. In the day of thy power shall the people offer thee free-will offerings with an | holy | worship: ‖ the dew of thy birth is | of the | womb of the | morning.

R. The Lord sware and will | not re- | pent: ‖ Thou art a Priest forever, after the order | of Mel- | chize- | dech.

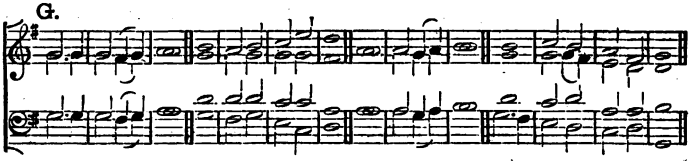
V. The Lord upon thy | right — | hand; ‖ shall wound even kings in the | day — | of his | wrath.

R. He shall judge among the heathen; he shall fill the places with the | dead — | bodies: ‖ and smite in sunder the heads | over | divers | countries.

V. He shall drink of the brook | in the | way: ‖ therefore shall | he lift | up his | head.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, Who hast given us Thy only begotten Son to take our nature upon Him, and as at this time to be born of a pure Virgin; Grant that we, being regenerate and made Thy children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by Thy Holy Spirit; through the same our Lord Jesus Christ, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the same Spirit, ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS.



Ps. cxxxii.—*V.* Lord re- | member | David: ‖ and | all his | trou- — | ble.

R. How he sware un- | to the | Lord: ‖ and vowed a vow unto the Al- | mighty | God of | Jacob;

V. I will not come within the tabernacle | of mine | house: ‖ nor climb | up in- | to my | bed;

R. I will not suffer mine eyes to sleep, nor mine | eyelids to | slumber: ‖ neither the temples of my | head to take | any | rest;

V. Until I find out a place for the temple | of the | Lord: ‖ an habitation for the | mighty | God of | Jacob.

R. Lo, we heard of the same at | Ephra- | ta: ‖ and | found it | in the | wood.

V. We will go | into his | tabernacle: ‖ and fall low on our | knees be- | fore his | footstool.

R. Arise, O Lord, into thy | resting- | place: ‖ thou, and the | ark — | of thy | strength.

V. Let thy priests be clothed with | righteous- | ness: ‖ and let thy saints | sing with | joyful- | ness.

R. For thy servant | David's | sake: ‖ turn not away the | presence of | thine A- | nointed.

V. The Lord hath made a faithful oath | unto | David: ‖ and he | shall not | shrink *from | it.*

R. Of the fruit | of thy | body: ‖ shall I | set up- \ on thy \ seat.

V. If thy children will keep my covenant, and my testimonies that | I shall | learn them: | their children also shall sit upon thy | seat for- | ever- | more.

R. For the Lord hath chosen Sion to be an habitation | for him- | self: | he hath | longed | for — | her.

V. This shall be my | rest for- | ever: | here will I dwell, for I | have a de- | light there- | in.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, Who hast given us Thy only begotten Son to take our nature upon Him, and as at this time to be born of a pure Virgin; Grant that we, being regenerate and made Thy children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by Thy Holy Spirit; through the same our Lord Jesus Christ, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the same Spirit ever one God, world without end. *Amen.*

SECOND SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS. (New Year's Day.)

Ps. lxi.—*V.* Hear my | crying, O | God: | give | ear un- | to my | prayer.

R. From the ends of the earth will I | call up- | on thee: | when my heart | is in | heavi- | ness.

V. O set me upon the rock that is | higher than | I: | for thou hast been my hope, and a strong tower for | me a- | gainst the | enemy.

R. I will dwell in thy tabernacle | for- — | ever; | and my trust shall be under the | covering | of thy | wings.

V. For thou, O Lord, hast heard | my de- | sires: | and hast given an heritage unto | those that | fear thy | Name.

R. Thou shalt grant the King a | long — | life: | that his years may endure through- | out all | gener- | ations.

V. He shall dwell before | God for- | ever: | O prepare thy loving mercy and faithfulness, | that they | may pre- | serve him.

R. So will I alway sing praise un- | to thy | Name: | that I may | daily per- | form my | vows.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, Who madest Thy blessed Son to be circumcised, and obedient to the Law for man; grant us the true circumcision of the Spirit; that, our hearts and all our members being mortified from all worldly and carnal lusts, we may in all things obey Thy blessed will; through the same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE EPIPHANY.

Ps. lxxii. 10–16.—*V.* The kings of Tharsis and of the isles | shall give | presents: | the kings of Arabia and | Saba | shall bring | gifts.

R. All kings shall fall | down be- | fore him: | all | nations shall | do him | service.

V. For he shall deliver the poor | when he | crieth: | the needy also, and | him that | hath no | helper.

R. He shall be favorable to the | simple and \ needy: \ and shall preserve the \ souls — / *of the / poor.*

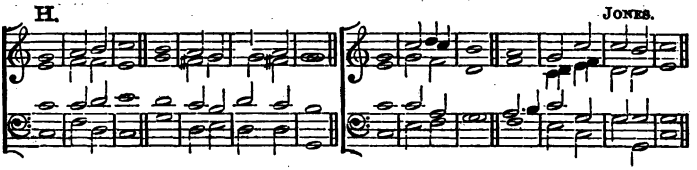
V. He shall deliver their souls from | falsehood and | wrong: ‖ and dear shall their | blood be | in his | sight.

R. He shall live, and unto him shall be given of the | gold of A- | rabia: ‖ prayer shall be made ever unto him, and | daily shall | he be | praised.

V. There shall be an heap of corn in the earth, high up- | on the | hills: ‖ his fruit shall shake like Libanus, and shall be green in the city, like | grass up- | on the | earth.

COLLECT.—O God, Who by the leading of a Star didst manifest Thy only-begotten Son to the Gentiles; mercifully grant that we who know Thee now by faith, may after this life have the fruition of Thy glorious Godhead; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY.



Ps. lxxii. 6–12.—*V.* He shall come down like the rain into a | fleece of | wool: ‖ even as the | drops that | water the | earth.

R. In his time shall the | righteous | flourish: ‖ yea, and abundance of peace, so long | as the | moon en- | dureth.

V. His dominion shall be also from the one sea | to the | other: ‖ and from the flood un- | to the | world's — | end.

R. They that dwell in the wilderness shall | kneel be- | fore him: ‖ his enemies | shall — | lick the | dust.

V. The kings of Tharsis and of the isles | shall give | presents: ‖ the kings of Arabia and | Saba | shall bring | gifts.

R. All kings shall fall | down be- | fore him: ‖ all | nations shall | do him | service.

V. For he shall deliver the poor | when he | crieth: ‖ the needy also, and | him that | hath no | helper.

COLLECT.—O Lord, we beseech Thee mercifully to receive the prayers of Thy people who call upon Thee; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil the same, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY.

Ps. lxxii. 16, etc.—*V.* He shall be favorable to the | simple and | needy: ‖ and shall preserve the | souls — | of the | poor.

R. He shall deliver their souls from | falsehood and | wrong: ‖ and dear shall their | blood be | in his | sight.

V. He shall live, and unto him shall be given of the | gold of A- | rabia: ‖ prayer shall be made ever unto him, and | daily shall | he be | praised.

R. There shall be an heap of corn in the earth, high up- | on the | hills: ‖ his fruit shall shake like Libanus, and shall be green in the city, like | grass up- | on the | earth.

V. His Name shall endure forever; his Name shall remain under the sun amongst the pos- | teri- | ties: ‖ which shall be blessed through him, and | all the | heathen shall | praise him.

R. Blessed be the Lord God, even the | God of | Israel: ‖ which only | doeth | wondrous | things.

V. And blessed be the Name of his | Majesty | forever; ‖ and all the earth shall be filled with his Majesty. | Amen. | A- — | men.

COLLECT.—Almighty and everlasting God, Who dost govern all things in heaven and earth; mercifully hear the supplications of Thy people, and grant us Thy peace all the days of our life, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY.

Ps. ii.—*V.* Why do the heathen so furiously | rage to- | gether? ‖ and why do the people im- | agine a | vain — | thing?

R. The kings of the earth stand up, and the rulers take | counsel to- | gether: ‖ against the Lord, and against | his A- | noint- — | ed.

V. Let us break their | bonds a- | sunder: ‖ and cast a- | way their | cords from | us.

R. He that dwelleth in heaven shall laugh | them to | scorn: ‖ the Lord shall | have them | in de- | rision.

V. Then shall he speak unto them | in his | wrath: ‖ and vex them | in his | sore displeasure.

R. Yet have I | set my | King: ‖ upon my | holy | hill of | Sion.

V. I will preach the law, whereof the Lord hath said | unto | me: ‖ Thou art my Son, this day have | I be- | gotten | thee.

R. Desire of me, and I shall give thee the heathen for | thine in- | heritance: ‖ and the utmost parts of the | earth for | thy pos- | session.

V. Thou shalt bruise them with a | rod of | iron: ‖ and break them in pieces | like a | potter's | vessel.

R. Be wise now therefore, | O ye | kings: ‖ be learned, ye that are | judges | of the | truth.

V. Serve the | Lord in | fear: ‖ and rejoice unto | him with | rever- | ence.

R. Kiss the Son, lest he be angry, and so ye perish from the | right — | way: ‖ if his wrath be kindled, yea but a little. Blessed are all they that | put their | trust in | him.

COLLECT.—Almighty and everlasting God, mercifully look upon our infirmities, and in all our dangers and necessities stretch forth Thy right hand to help and defend us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY.

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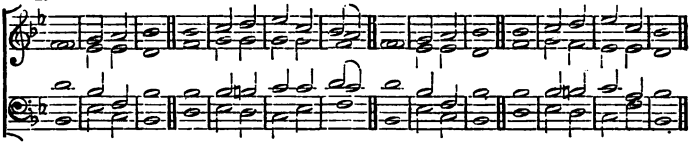


Ps. xcvi. 1-11.—*V.* O sing unto the | Lord a new | song: ‖ sing unto the | Lord, all | the whole | earth.

R. Sing unto the Lord, and | praise his | Name: ‖ be telling of his sal- | vation from | day to | day.

V. Declare his honor un- | to the | heathen: ‖ and his wonders | unto | all — | people.

R. For the Lord is great, and cannot | worthily be | praised: ‖ he is more to be | feared | than all | gods.

V. As for all the gods of the heathen, they | are but | idols: ‖ but it is the | Lord that | made the | heavens.

R. Glory and worship | are be- | fore him: ‖ power and honor are | in his | sanctu- | ary.

V. Ascribe unto the Lord, O ye kindreds | of the | people: ‖ ascribe unto the | Lord — | worship and | power.

R. Ascribe unto the Lord the honor due un- | to his | Name: ‖ bring presents, and | come in- | to his | courts.

V. O worship the Lord in the | beauty of | holiness: ‖ let the whole earth | stand in | awe of | him.

R. Tell it out among the heathen that the | Lord is | King: ‖ and that it is he who hath made the round world so fast that it cannot be moved, and how that he shall judge the | people | righteous- | ly.

V. Let the heavens rejoice, and let the | earth be | glad: ‖ let the sea make a noise, and | all that | therein | is.

COLLECT.—O God, Who knowest us to be set in the midst of so many and great dangers, that by reason of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright; grant to us such strength and protection, as may support us in all dangers, and carry us through all temptations, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY.

Ps. xcvii. 5-12.—*V.* The hills melted like wax at the presence | of the | Lord: ‖ at the presence of the | Lord of | the whole | earth.

R. The heavens have declared his | righteous- | ness: ‖ and all the | people have | seen *his | glory.*

V. Confounded be all they that worship carved images, and that delight in | vain — | *gods: | worship | him,* — | all ye | gods.

R. Sion heard of it, | and re- | joiced : ‖ and the daughters of Judah were glad, because of thy | judgments, | O — | Lord.

V. For thou, Lord, art higher than all that are | in the | earth : ‖ thou art exalted | far a- | bove all | gods.

R. O ye that love the Lord, see that ye hate the thing | which is | evil : ‖ the Lord preserveth the souls of his saints ; he shall deliver them from the | hand of | the un- | godly.

V. There is sprung up a light | for the | righteous : ‖ and joyful gladness for | such as | are true- | hearted.

R. Rejoice in the | Lord, ye | righteous : ‖ and give thanks for a remembrance | of his | holi- | ness.

COLLECT.—O Lord, we beseech Thee to keep Thy Church and Household continually in Thy true religion, that they who do lean only upon the hope of Thy heavenly grace may evermore be defended by Thy mighty power, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER THE EPIPHANY.

Ps. cxvii.—*V.* O praise the Lord, | all ye | heathen : ‖ praise | — him, | all ye | nations.

R. For his merciful kindness is ever more and | more towards | us : ‖ and the truth of the Lord endureth forever. | Praise — | — the | Lord.

COLLECT.—O God, Whose blessed Son was manifested that He might destroy the works of the devil, and make us the sons of God, and heirs of eternal life ; grant us, we beseech Thee, that having this hope, we may purify ourselves, even as He is pure ; that when He shall appear again with power and great glory, we may be made like unto Him in His eternal and glorious kingdom ; where, with Thee, O Father, and Thee, O Holy Ghost, He liveth and reigneth, ever One God, world without end. *Amen.*

SEPTUAGESIMA. (Or Third Sunday before Lent.)

Ps. ci.—*V.* My song shall be of | mercy and | judgment : ‖ unto thee, O | Lord, — | will I | sing.

R. O let me have | under- | standing : ‖ in the | way of | godli- | ness !

V. When wilt thou come | unto | me ? ‖ I will walk in my house | with a | perfect | heart.

R. I will take no wicked thing in hand ; I hate the sins of un- | faithful- | ness : ‖ there shall no such | cleave — | unto | me.

V. A froward heart shall de- | part from | me : ‖ I will not | know a | wicked | person.

R. Whoso privily | slandereth his | neighbor : ‖ him | will — | I de- | stroy.

V. Whoso leadeth a | godly | life : ‖ he | shall — | be my | servant.

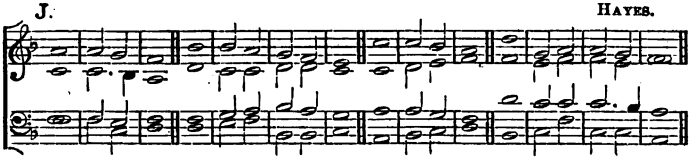
R. There shall no deceitful person dwell | in my | house : ‖ he that telleth lies shall not | tarry | in my | sight.

V. I shall soon destroy all the ungodly that are | in the | land : ‖ that I may root out all *wicked doers from the* | city | of the | Lord.

COLLECT.—O Lord, we beseech Thee favorably to hear the prayers of Thy people, that we, who are justly punished for our offences, may be mercifully delivered by Thy goodness, for the glory of Thy Name, through Jesus Christ our Saviour, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. *Amen.*

SEXAGESIMA. (Or Second Sunday before Lent.)

J. HAYES.



Ps. cxxvi.—*V.* When the Lord turned again the cap- | tivity of | Sion: ‖ then were we like | unto | them that | dream.

R. Then was our mouth | filled with | laughter: ‖ and our | tongue — | with — | joy.

V. Then said they a- | mong the | heathen: ‖ The Lord hath | done great | things for | them.

R. Yea, the Lord hath done great things for | us al- | ready: ‖ where- | of — | we re- | joice.

V. Turn our captivity, | O — | Lord: ‖ as the | rivers | in the | south.

R. They that | sow in | tears: ‖ shall | reap — | in — | joy.

V. He that now goeth on his way weeping, and beareth | forth good | seed: ‖ shall doubtless come again with joy, and | bring his | sheaves with | him.

COLLECT.—O Lord God, Who seest that we put not our trust in anything that we do; mercifully grant that by Thy power we may be defended against all adversity, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

QUINQUAGESIMA. (Or the Next Sunday before Lent.)

Ps. l. 7, etc.—*V.* Hear, O my people, and | I will | speak: ‖ I myself will testify against thee, O Israel, for I am | God, — | even thy | God.

R. I will not reprove thee because of thy sacrifices, or for | thy burnt- | offerings: ‖ because they were not | alway be- | fore — | me.

V. I will take no bullock out | of thine | house: ‖ nor he- | goat out | of thy | folds.

R. For all the beasts of the | forest are | mine: ‖ and so are the cattle up- | on a | thousand | hills.

V. I know all the fowls up- | on the | mountains: ‖ and the wild beasts of the | field are | in my | sight.

R. If I be hungry, I will not | tell — | thee: ‖ for the whole world is mine, and | all *that* | *is there-* | *in.*

V. Thinkest thou that I will | eat bulls' | flesh: ‖ and | drink the | blood of | goats?

R. Offer unto | God thanks- | giving: ‖ and pay thy vows un- | to the | Most — | Highest.

V. And call upon me in the | time of | trouble: ‖ so will I hear thee, and | thou shalt | praise — | me.

R. But unto the ungodly | said — | God: ‖ Why dost thou preach my laws, and takest my | covenant | in thy | mouth:

V. Whereas thou hatest to | be re- | formed: ‖ and hast | cast my | words be- | hind thee.

R. When thou sawest a thief, thou consentedst | unto | him: ‖ and hast been partaker | with the a- | dulter- | ers.

V. Thou hast let thy mouth speak | wicked- | ness: ‖ and with thy tongue thou | hast set | forth de- | ceit.

R. Thou satest and spakest a- | gainst thy | brother: ‖ yea, and hast slandered | thine own | mother's | son.

V. These things hast thou done, and I held my tongue, and thou thoughtest wickedly, that I am even such a one | as thy- | self; ‖ but I will reprove thee, and set before thee the | things that | thou hast | done.

COLLECT.—O Lord, Who hast taught us that all our doings without charity are nothing worth; send Thy Holy Ghost, and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of charity, the very bond of peace, and of all virtues; without which, whosoever liveth is counted dead before Thee: Grant this for Thine only Son Jesus Christ's sake. *Amen.*

ASH-WEDNESDAY.

Ps. li.—*V.* Have mercy upon me, O God, after | thy great | goodness: ‖ according to the multitude of thy mercies | do away | mine of- | fences.

R. Wash me thoroughly from my | wicked- | ness: ‖ and | cleanse me | from my | sin.

V. For I ac- | knowledge my | faults: ‖ and my sin is | ever be- | fore — | me.

R. Against thee only have I sinned, and done this evil | in thy | sight: ‖ that thou mightest be justified in thy saying, and | clear when | thou art | judged.

V. Behold, I was shapen in | wicked- | ness: ‖ and in sin hath my | mother con- | ceived | me.

R. But lo, thou requirest truth in the | inward | parts: ‖ and shalt make me to understand | wisdom | secret- | ly.

V. Thou shalt purge me with hyssop, and I | shall be | clean: ‖ thou shalt wash me, and I | shall be | whiter than | snow.

R. Thou shalt make me hear of | joy and | gladness: ‖ that the bones which thou hast | broken | may re- | joice.

V. Turn thy face | from my | sins: ‖ and put | out all | my mis- | deeds.

R. Make me a clean | heart, O | God: ‖ and renew a right | spirit with- | in — | me.

V. Cast me not away | from thy | presence: ‖ and take not thy | Holy | Spirit | from me.

R. O *give me the* comfort of thy | help a- | gain: ‖ and establish me | with thy | free — | *Spirit.*

V. Then shall I teach thy ways un- | to the | wicked: ‖ and sinners shall be con- | verted | unto | thee.

R. Deliver me from blood-guiltiness, O God, thou that art the God | of my | health: ‖ and my tongue shall sing | of thy | righteous- | ness.

V. Thou shalt open my | lips, O | Lord: ‖ and my | mouth shall | show thy | praise.

R. For thou desirest no sacrifice, else would I | give it | thee: ‖ but thou delightest | not in | burnt- — | offerings.

V. The sacrifice of God is a | troubled | spirit: ‖ a broken and contrite heart, O God, | shalt thou | not de- | spise.

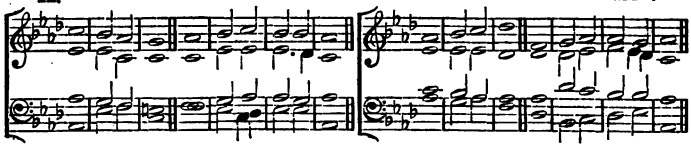
R. O be favorable and gracious | unto | Sion: ‖ build thou the walls | of Je- | rusa- | lem.

V. Then shalt thou be pleased with the sacrifice of righteousness, with the burnt-offerings | and ob- | lations: ‖ then shall they offer young | bullocks up- | on thine | altar.

Collect.—Almighty and everlasting God, Who hatest nothing that Thou hast made, and dost forgive the sins of all those who are penitent; create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, may obtain of Thee, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE FIRST SUNDAY IN LENT.

K. MACFARREN.



Ps. cii.—*V.* Hear my | prayer, O | Lord: ‖ and let my | crying come | unto | thee.

R. Hide not thy face from me in the time | of my | trouble: ‖ incline thine ear unto me when I call; O hear | me, and | that right | soon.

V. For my days are consumed a- | way like | smoke: ‖ and my bones are burnt up as it | were a- | fire- — | brand.

R. My heart is smitten down, and | withered like | grass: ‖ so that I for- | get to | eat my | bread.

V. For the voice | of my | groaning: ‖ my bones will | scarce cleave | to my | flesh.

R. I am become like a pelican | in the | wilderness: ‖ and like an owl | that is | in the | desert.

V. I have watched, and am even as it | were a | sparrow: ‖ that sitteth a- | lone up- | on the | house-top.

R. Mine enemies revile me | all the day | long: ‖ and they that are mad upon me are | *sworn to- | gether a- | gainst* me.

V. For I have eaten ashes as | it were | bread: ‖ and \ mingled my \ drink with \ weep- *ing:*

R. And that, because of thine indig- | nation and | wrath: ‖ for thou hast taken me | up and | cast me | down.

V. My days are gone | like a | shadow: ‖ and | I am | withered like | grass.

R. But thou, O Lord, shalt en- | dure for- | ever: ‖ and thy remembrance throughout | all — | gener- | ations.

V. Thou shalt arise, and have mercy | upon | Sion: ‖ for it is time that thou have mercy upon her, | yea, the | time is | come.

R. And why? thy servants think up- | on her | stones: ‖ and it pitieth them to | see her | in the | dust.

V. The heathen shall fear thy | Name, O | Lord: ‖ and all the kings of the | earth thy | Majes- | ty.

R. When the Lord shall | build up | Sion: ‖ and when his | glory | shall ap- | pear.

V. When he turneth him unto the prayer of the poor | desti- | tute: ‖ and de- | spiseth not | their de- | sire.

R. This shall be written for those | that come | after: ‖ and the people which shall be | born shall | praise the | Lord.

V. For he hath looked down from his | sanctu- | ary: ‖ out of the heaven did the | Lord be- | hold the | earth.

R. That he might hear the mourning of such as are in cap- | tivi- | ty: ‖ and deliver the children ap- | pointed | unto | death:

V. That they may declare the Name of the | Lord in | Sion: ‖ and his worship | at Je- | rusa- | lem:

R. When the people are | gathered to- | gether: ‖ and the kingdoms | also, to | serve the | Lord.

V. He brought down my strength | in my | journey: ‖ and | shorten- | ed my | days.

R. But I said, O my God, take me not away in the midst | of mine | age: ‖ as for thy years, they endure through- | out all | gener- | ations.

V. Thou, Lord, in the beginning hast laid the foundation | of the | earth: ‖ and the heavens are the | work — | of thy | hands.

R. They shall perish, but thou | shalt en- | dure: ‖ they all shall wax | old, as | doth a | garment:

V. And as a vesture shalt thou change them, and they | shall be | changed: ‖ but thou art the same, and | thy years | shall not | fail.

R. The children of thy servants | shall con- | tinue: ‖ and their seed shall | stand fast | in thy | sight.

COLLECT.—O Lord, Who for our sake didst fast forty days and forty nights; give us grace to use such abstinence, that our flesh being subdued to the Spirit, we may ever obey Thy godly motions in righteousness and true holiness, to Thy honor and glory, Who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, One God, world without end. *Amen.*

THE SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT.

PS. XXX.—*V.* I will magnify thee, O Lord, for thou hast | set me | up: ‖ and not made my *foes to | triumph* | over | me.

R. O Lord my God, I cried | unto | thee: ‖ and | thou hast | healed | me.

V. Thou, Lord, hast brought my soul | out of | hell: ‖ thou hast kept my life from them that | go down | to the | pit.

R. Sing praises unto the Lord, O ye | saints of | his: ‖ and give thanks unto him for a remembrance | of his | holi- | ness.

V. For his wrath endureth but the twinkling of an eye, and in his | pleasure is | life: ‖ heaviness may endure for a night, but joy | cometh | in the | morning.

R. And in my prosperity I said, I shall never | be re- | moved: ‖ thou, Lord, of thy goodness hast | made my | hill so | strong.

V. Thou didst turn thy | face from | me: ‖ and | I — | was — | troubled.

R. Then cried I unto | thee, O | Lord: ‖ and gat me | to my | Lord right | humbly.

V. What profit is there | in my | blood: ‖ when I | go down | to the | pit?

R. Shall the dust give thanks | unto | thee: ‖ or shall | it de- | clare thy | truth?

V. Hear, O Lord, and have ¶ mercy up- | on me: ‖ Lord, | be — | thou my | helper.

V. Thou hast turned my heaviness | into | joy: ‖ thou hast put off my sackcloth, and | girded | me with | gladness.

R. Therefore shall every good man sing of thy praise | without | ceasing: ‖ O my God, I will give thanks | unto | thee for- | ever.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, Who seest that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves; keep us both outwardly in our bodies, and inwardly in our souls; that we may be defended from all adversities which may happen to the body, and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT.

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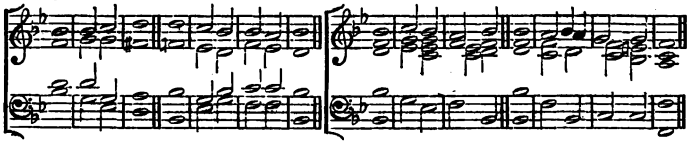


Ps. lxxvii. 1-13.—*V.* I will cry unto God | with my | voice: ‖ even unto God will I cry with my voice, and he shall | hearken | unto | me.

R. In the time of my trouble I | sought the | Lord: ‖ my sore ran, and ceased not in the night-season; my | soul re- | fused | comfort.

V. When I am in heaviness I will | think upon | God: ‖ when my heart is | vexed I | will com- | plain.

R. Thou holdest mine | eyes — | waking: ‖ I am so feeble | that I | cannot | speak.

V. I have considered the | days of | old: ‖ and the | years — | that are | past.

R. I call to remembrance | my — | song: ‖ and in the night I commune with mine own heart, and | search — | out my | spirits.

V. Will the Lord absent him- | self for- | ever: ‖ and will he | be no | more in- | *treated?*

R. Is his mercy clean | gone for- | ever: ‖ and is his promise come utterly to an | end for | ever- | more?

V. Hath God forgotten | to be | gracious: ‖ and will he shut up his loving- | kindness | in dis- | pleasure?

R. And I said, It is mine own in- | firmi- | ty: ‖ but I will remember the years of the right | hand of | the Most | Highest.

V. I will remember the works | of the | Lord: ‖ and call to mind thy | wonders | of old | time.

R. I will think also of | all thy | works: ‖ and my talking | shall be | of thy | doings.

V. Thy way, O | God, is | holy: ‖ who is so great a | God as | our — | God?

COLLECT.—We beseech Thee, Almighty God, look upon the hearty desires of Thy humble servants, and stretch forth the right hand of Thy majesty, to be our defence against all our enemies, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT.

Ps. xxxiv. 8, etc.—*V.* O taste, and see how gracious the | Lord — | is: ‖ blessed is the | man that | trusteth in | him.

R. O fear the Lord, ye that | are his | saints: ‖ for they that | fear him | lack — | nothing.

V. The lions do lack, and | suffer | hunger: ‖ but they who seek the Lord shall want no manner of | thing — | that is | good.

R. Come, ye children, and hearken | unto | me: ‖ I will teach you the | fear — | of the | Lord.

V. What man is he that | lusteth to | live: ‖ and would | fain — | see good | days?

R. Keep thy | tongue from | evil: ‖ and thy lips, | that they | speak no | guile.

V. Eschew evil, | and do | good: ‖ seek | peace, — | and en- | sue it.

R. The eyes of the Lord are | over the | righteous: ‖ and his ears are | open un- | to their | prayers.

V. The countenance of the Lord is against them | that do | evil: ‖ to root out the remembrance | of them | from the | earth.

R. The righteous cry, and the Lord | heareth | them: ‖ and delivereth them | out of | all their | troubles.

V. The Lord is nigh unto them that are of a | contrite | heart: ‖ and will save such as be | of an | humble | spirit.

R. Great are the troubles | of the | righteous: ‖ but the Lord de- | livereth him | out of | all.

V. He keepeth | all his | bones: ‖ so that not | one of | them is | broken.

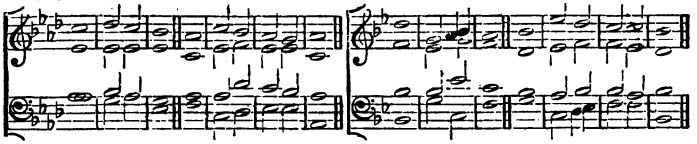
R. But misfortune shall slay | the un- | godly: ‖ and they that hate the righteous | shall be | deso- | late.

V. The Lord delivereth the souls | of his | servants: ‖ and all they that put their trust in him shall | not be | desti- | tute.

COLLECT.—Grant, we beseech Thee, Almighty God, that we, who for our evil deeds do worthily deserve to be punished, by the comfort of Thy grace may mercifully be relieved, through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

THE FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT.

M. Rev. R. N. P. E. J. Hopkins.



Ps. xlix. 7, etc.—*V.* But no man may de- | liver his | brother: ‖ nor make agreement | unto | God for | him.

R. For it cost more to re- | deem their | souls: ‖ so that he must let | that a- | lone for- | ever.

V. Yea, though he | live — | long: ‖ and | see — | not the | grave.

R. For he seeth that wise men also die and | perish to- | gether: ‖ as well as the ignorant and foolish, and | leave their | riches for | other.

V. And yet they think that their houses shall con- | tinue for- | ever: ‖ and that their dwelling-places shall endure from one generation to another, and call the lands | after | their own | names.

R. Nevertheless, man will not a- | bide in | honor: ‖ seeing he may be compared unto the beasts that perish; this | is the | way of | them.

V. This is their | foolish- | ness: ‖ and their posterity | praise — | their — | saying.

R. They lie in the hell like sheep; death gnaweth upon them, and the righteous shall have dominion over them | in the | morning: ‖ their beauty shall consume in the sepulchre | out — | of their | dwelling.

V. But God hath delivered my soul from the | place of | hell: ‖ for he | shall re- | ceive — | me.

R. Be not thou afraid, though one | be made | rich: ‖ or if the glory of his | house — | be in- | creased.

V. For he shall carry nothing away with him | when he | dieth: ‖ neither shall his | pomp — | follow | him.

R. For while he lived he counted himself an | happy | man: ‖ and so long as thou doest well unto thyself, men will | speak — | good of | thee.

V. He shall follow the generation | of his | fathers: ‖ and shall | never | see — | light.

R. Man being in honor hath no | under- | standing: ‖ but is compared un- | to the | beasts that | perish.

Collect.—We beseech Thee, Almighty God, mercifully to look upon Thy people; that by Thy great goodness they may be governed and preserved evermore, both in body and soul, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE EASTER.

Ps. cxviii. 19, 20, 26, etc.—*V.* Open me the gates of | righteous- | ness: ‖ that I may go into them, and give | thanks un- | to the | Lord.

R. This is the gate | of the | Lord: ‖ the righteous shall | enter | into | it.

V. Blessed be he that cometh in the Name | of the | Lord: ‖ we have wished you good luck, ye that are of the | house — | of the | Lord.

R. God is the Lord who hath | shewed us | light: ‖ bind the sacrifice with cords, yea, even unto the | horns — | of the | altar.

V. Thou art my God, and I will | thank — | thee: ‖ thou art my God, and | I will | praise — | thee.

R. O give thanks unto the Lord, for | he is | gracious: ‖ and his | mercy en- | dureth for- | ever.

COLLECT.—Almighty and everlasting God, Who, of Thy tender love toward mankind, hast sent Thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, to take upon Him our flesh, and to suffer death upon the cross, that all mankind should follow the example of His great humility; mercifully grant that we may both follow the example of His patience, and also be made partakers of His resurrection, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

EASTER-DAY.

Ps. cxviii. 15, 22-29.—*V.* The voice of joy and health is in the dwellings | of the | righteous: ‖ the right hand of the Lord bringeth | mighty | things to | pass.

R. The same stone which the | builders re- | fused: ‖ is become the | headstone | in the | corner.

V. This is the | Lord's — | doing: ‖ and it is | marvellous | in our | eyes.

R. This is the day which the | Lord hath | made: ‖ we will rejoice, | and be | glad in | it.

V. Help me | now, O | Lord: ‖ O Lord, send us | now pros- | peri- | ty.

R. Blessed be he that cometh in the Name | of the | Lord: ‖ we have wished you good luck, ye that are of the | house — | of the | Lord.

V. God is the Lord who hath | shewed us | light: ‖ bind the sacrifice with cords, yea, even unto the | horns — | of the | altar.

R. Thou art my God, and I will | thank — | thee: ‖ thou art my God, and | I will | praise — | thee.

V. O give thanks unto the Lord, for | he is | gracious: ‖ and his | mercy en- | dureth for- | ever.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, Who through Thine only-begotten Son Jesus Christ hast overcome death, and opened unto us the gate of everlasting life: we humbly beseech Thee, that as, by Thy special grace preventing us, Thou dost put into our minds good desires; so by Thy continual help we may bring the same to good effect, through Jesus *Christ our Lord; Who* liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, *world without end. Amen.*

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

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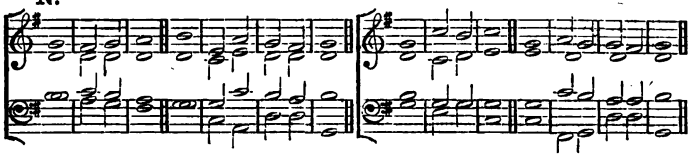

Ps. cxvi.—*V.* Preserve | me, O | God: ‖ for in thee | have I | put my | trust.

R. O my soul, thou hast said un- | to the | Lord: ‖ thou art my God, my goods are | nothing | unto | thee.

V. All my delight is upon the saints that are | in the | earth: ‖ and upon such | as ex- | cel in | virtue.

R. But they that run after an- | other | god: ‖ shall | have — | great — | trouble.

V. Their drink-offerings of blood will | I not | offer: ‖ neither make mention of their | names with- | in my | lips.

R. The Lord himself is the portion of mine inheritance and | of my | cup: ‖ thou | shalt main- | tain my | lot.

V. The lot is fallen unto me in a | fair — | ground: ‖ yea, I have a | goodly | herit- | age.

R. I will thank the Lord for | giving me | warning: ‖ my reins also chasten me | in the | night — | season.

V. I have set God | always be- | fore me: ‖ for he is on my right hand therefore | I — | shall not | fail.

R. Wherefore my heart was glad, and my | glory re- | joiced: ‖ my flesh | also shall | rest in | hope.

V. For why? thou shalt not leave my | soul in | hell: ‖ neither shalt thou suffer thy Holy | One to | see cor- | ruption.

R. Thou shalt show me the path of life, in thy presence is the | fullness of | joy: ‖ and at thy right hand there is | pleasure for | ever- | more.

COLLECT.—Almighty Father, Who hast given Thine only Son to die for our sins, and to rise again for our justification; grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness, that we may always serve Thee in pureness of living and truth, through the merits of the same Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Ps. xxiii.—*V.* The Lord | is my | shepherd: ‖ therefore | can I | lack — | nothing.

R. He shall feed me in a | green — | pasture: ‖ and lead me forth be- | side the | waters *of | comfort.*

V. He shall con- | vert my | soul: ‖ and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness | *for his | Name's — | sake.*

R. Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will | fear no | evil: ‖ for thou art with me, thy rod and thy | staff — | comfort | me.

V. Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that | trouble | me: ‖ thou hast anointed my head with oil, | and my | cup shall be | full.

R. But thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days | of my | life: ‖ and I will dwell in the house | of the | Lord for- | ever.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, Who hast given Thine only Son to be unto us both a sacrifice for sin, and also an ensample of godly life; give us grace that we may always most thankfully receive that His inestimable benefit, and also daily endeavor ourselves to follow the blessed steps of His most holy life, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Ps. xcvii. 8, etc.—*V.* Sion heard of it | and re- | joiced: ‖ and the daughters of Judah were glad, because of thy | judgments | O — | Lord.

R. For thou, Lord, art higher than all that are | in the | earth: ‖ thou art exalted | far a- | bove all | gods.

V. O ye that love the Lord, see that ye hate the thing | which is | evil: ‖ the Lord preserveth the souls of his saints; he shall deliver them from the | hand of | the un- | godly.

R. There is sprung up a light | for the | righteous: ‖ and joyful gladness for | such as | are true- | hearted.

V. Rejoice in the | Lord, ye | righteous: ‖ and give thanks for a remembrance | of his | holi- | ness.

COLLECT.—Almighty God, Who showest to them that are in error, the light of Thy truth, to the intent that they may return into the way of righteousness; grant unto all those who are admitted into the fellowship of Christ's religion, that they may avoid those things that are contrary to their profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same, through our Lord Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Ps. xliii. 1-6.—*V.* Give sentence with me, O God, and defend my cause against the un- | godly | people: ‖ O deliver me from the de- | ceitful and | wicked | man.

R. For thou art the God of my strength, why hast thou put | me from | thee: ‖ and why go I so heavily, while the | enemy op- | presseth | me.

V. And that I may go unto the altar of God, even unto the God of my | joy and | gladness: ‖ and upon the harp will I give thanks unto | thee, O | God, my | God.

R. Why art thou so heavy, | O my | soul: ‖ and why art thou so dis- | quieted | within | me?

V. *O put thy | trust in | God:* ‖ *for I will yet give him thanks, which is the help of my | countenance | and my | God.*

COLLECT.—O Almighty God, Who alone canst order the unruly wills and affections of sinful men; grant unto Thy people, that they may love the thing which thou commandest, and desire that which thou dost promise; that so, among the sundry and manifold changes of the world, our hearts may surely there be fixed, where true joys are to be found, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

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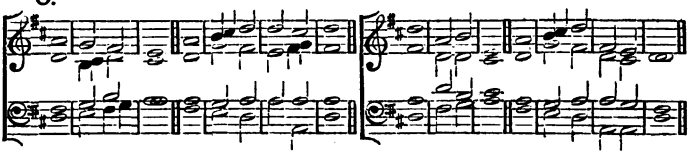


Ps. xx.—*V.* The Lord hear thee in the | day of | trouble: ‖ the Name of the God of | Jacob | defend | thee.

R. Send thee help from the | sanctu- | ary: ‖ and strengthen | thee — | out of | Sion:

V. Remember | all thy | offerings: ‖ and accept | thy burnt | sacri- | fice.

R. Grant thee thy | heart's de- | sire: ‖ and ful- | fill — | all thy | mind.

V. We will rejoice in thy salvation, and triumph in the name of the | Lord our | God: ‖ the Lord per- | form all | thy pe- | titions.

R. Now know I that the Lord helpeth his Anointed, and will hear him from his | holy | heaven: ‖ even with the wholesome | strength of | his right | hand.

V. Some put their trust in chariots, and | some in | horses: ‖ but we will remember the name | of the | Lord our | God.

R. They are brought | down and | fallen: ‖ but we are | risen and | stand up- | right.

V. Save, Lord, and hear us, O | King of | heaven: ‖ when we | call up- | on — | thee.

COLLECT.—O Lord, from Whom all good things do come; grant to us Thy humble servants, that by Thy Holy inspiration we may think those things that are good, and by Thy merciful guiding may perform the same, through our Lord Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

THE ASCENSION-DAY.

Ps. xlvii.—*V.* O clap your hands together, | all ye | people: ‖ O sing unto God with the | voice of | melo- | dy.

R. For the Lord is high, and | to be | feared: ‖ he is the great King | upon | all the | earth.

V. He shall subdue the people | under | us: ‖ and the | nations | under our | feet.

R. He shall choose out an heritage | for — | us: ‖ even the worship of | Jacob, | whom *he | loved.*

V. God is gone up with a | merry | noise: ‖ and the Lord \ with the \ sound of the \ *trump.*

R. O sing praises, sing praises unto | our — | God: ‖ O sing praises, sing | praises | unto our | King.

V. For God is the King of | all the | earth: ‖ sing ye praises | with — | under- | standing.

R. God reigneth | over the | heathen: ‖ God sitteth up- | on his | holy | seat.

V. The princes of the people are joined unto the people of the God of | Abra- | ham: ‖ for God, which is very high exalted, doth defend the earth, as it | were — | with a | shield.

COLLECT.—Grant, we beseech Thee, Almighty God, that like as we do believe Thy only-begotten Son our Lord Jesus Christ to have ascended into the heavens; so we may also in heart and mind thither ascend, and with Him continually dwell, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, One God, world without end. *Amen.*

SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION-DAY.

Ps. xlviii.—*V.* Great is the Lord, and highly | to be | praised: ‖ in the city of our God, even up- | on his | holy | hill.

R. The hill of Sion is a fair place, and the joy of the | whole — | earth: ‖ upon the north side lieth the city of the great King: God is well known in her palaces | as a | sure — | refuge.

V. For lo, the kings | of the | earth: ‖ are gathered | and gone | by to- | gether.

R. They marvelled to | see such | things: ‖ they were astonished, and | sudden- | ly cast | down.

V. Fear came there upon | them, and | sorrow: ‖ as upon a | woman | in her | travail.

R. Thou shalt break the ships | of the | sea: ‖ through | the — | east — | wind.

V. Like as we have heard, so have we seen in the city of the Lord of hosts, in the city | of our | God: ‖ God upholdeth the | same — | for- — | ever.

R. We wait for thy loving-kindness, | O — | God: ‖ in the | midst — | of thy | temple.

V. O God, according to thy Name, so is thy praise unto the | world's — | end: ‖ thy right hand is | full of | righteous- | ness.

R. Let the Mount Sion rejoice, and the daughter of | Judah be | glad: ‖ because | of thy | judg- — | ments.

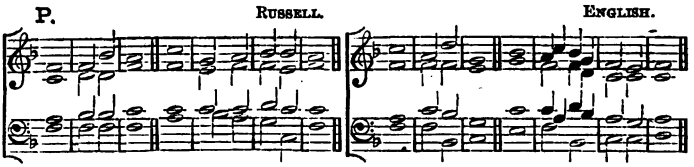
V. Walk about Sion, and go | round about | her: ‖ and | tell the | towers there- | of.

R. Mark well her bulwarks, set | up her | houses: ‖ that ye may | tell them | that come | after.

V. For this God is our God for | ever and | ever: ‖ he shall be our | guide — | unto | death.

COLLECT.—O God, the King of glory, Who hast exalted Thine only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph unto Thy kingdom in heaven; we beseech Thee leave us not comfortless; but send to us Thine Holy Ghost to comfort us, and exalt us unto the same place whither our Saviour Christ is gone before; Who liveth and reigneth with Thee and the Holy Ghost, One God, world without end. *Amen.*

WHIT-SUNDAY.



Ps. xlvi.—*V.* God is our | hope and | strength: ‖ a very | present | help in | trouble.

R. Therefore will we not fear, though the | earth be | moved: ‖ and though the hills be carried into the | midst — | of the | sea.

V. Though the waters thereof | rage and | swell: ‖ and though the mountains shake at the | tempest | of the | same.

R. The rivers of the flood thereof shall make glad the | city of | God: ‖ the holy place of the tabernacle | of the | Most — | Highest.

V. God is in the midst of her, therefore shall she not | be re- | moved: ‖ God shall help | her, and | that right | early.

R. The heathen make much ado, and the | kingdoms are | moved: ‖ but God hath showed his voice, and the | earth shall | melt a- | way.

V. The Lord of | hosts is | with us: ‖ the God of | Jacob | is our | refuge.

R. O come hither, and behold the works | of the | Lord: ‖ what destruction he hath | brought up- | on the | earth.

V. He maketh wars to cease in | all the | world: ‖ he breaketh the bow and knappeth the spear in sunder, and burneth the | chariots | in the | fire.

R. Be still, then, and know that | I am | God: ‖ I will be exalted among the heathen, and I will be ex- | alted | in the | earth.

V. The Lord of | hosts is | with us: ‖ the God of | Jacob | is our | refuge.

COLLECT.—O God, Who as at this time didst teach the hearts of Thy faithful people, by sending to them the light of Thy Holy Spirit; grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in His holy comfort, through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour, Who liveth and reigneth with Thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, One God, world without end. *Amen.*

TRINITY-SUNDAY.

Ps. xcvii.—*V.* The Lord is King, the earth may be | glad there- | of: ‖ yea, the multitude of the isles | may be | glad there- | of.

R. Clouds and darkness are | round about | him: ‖ righteousness and judgment are the *habi- | tation | of his | seat.*

V. There shall go a | fire be- | fore him: ‖ and burn up his enemies \ on — \ every \ *side.*

R. His lightnings gave shine un- | to the | world: ‖ the earth saw | it, and | was a- | fraid.

V. The hills melted like wax at the presence | of the | Lord: ‖ at the presence of the | Lord of | the whole | earth.

R. The heavens have declared his | righteous- | ness: ‖ and all the | people have | seen his | glory.

V. Confounded be all they that worship carved images, and that delight in | vain — | gods: ‖ worship | him, — | all ye | gods.

R. Sion heard of it, | and re- | joiced: ‖ and the daughters of Judah were glad, because of thy | judgments, | O — | Lord.

V. For thou, Lord, art higher than all that are | in the | earth: ‖ thou art exalted | far a- | bove all | gods.

R. O ye that love the Lord, see that ye hate the thing | which is | evil: ‖ the Lord preserveth the souls of his saints; he shall deliver them from the | hand of | the un- | godly.

V. There is sprung up a light | for the | righteous: ‖ and joyful gladness for | such as | are true- | hearted.

R. Rejoice in the | Lord, ye | righteous: ‖ and give thanks for a remembrance | of his | holi- | ness.

COLLECT.—Almighty and everlasting God, Who hast given unto us Thy servants grace, by the confession of a true faith, to acknowledge the glory of the eternal Trinity, and in the power of the divine Majesty to worship the Unity; we beseech Thee that Thou wouldest keep us steadfast in this faith, and evermore defend us from all adversities, Who livest and reignest, One God, world without end. *Amen.*

THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 1.—*V.* Blessed are those that are undefiled | in the | way: ‖ and walk in the | law — | of the | Lord.

R. Blessed are they that | keep his | testimonies: ‖ and seek him | with their | whole — | heart.

V. For they who | do no | wickedness: ‖ walk | in — | his — | ways.

R. Thou hast | charg- — | ed: ‖ that we shall diligently | keep — | thy com- | mandments.

V. O that my ways were made | so di- | rect: ‖ that | I might | keep thy | statutes!

R. So shall I not | be con- | founded: ‖ while I have respect unto | all — | thy com- | mandments.

V. I will thank thee with an un- | feigned | heart: ‖ when I shall have learned the judgments | of thy | righteous- | ness.

R. I will | keep thy | ceremonies: ‖ O for- | sake — | me not | utterly.

COLLECT.—O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in Thee, mercifully accept our prayers; and because, through the weakness of our mortal nature, we can do no good thing without Thee, grant us the help of Thy grace, that in keeping Thy commandments we may please Thee, both in will and deed, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

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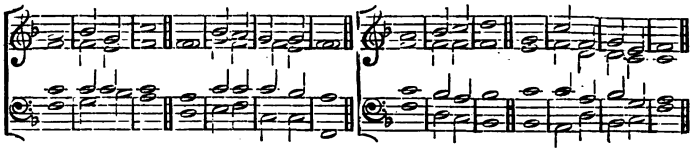


Ps. cxix. Pt. 2.—*V.* Wherewithal shall a young man | cleanse his | way: ‖ even by ruling | himself | after thy | word.

R. With my whole heart have I | sought — | thee: ‖ O let me not go wrong | out of | thy com- | mandments!

V. Thy words have I hid with- | in my | heart: ‖ that I should not | sin a- | gainst — | thee.

R. Blessed art | thou, O | Lord: ‖ O | teach — | me thy | statutes!

V. With my lips have | I been | telling: ‖ of all the | judgments | of thy | mouth.

R. I have had as great delight in the way | of thy | testimonies: ‖ as | in all | manner of | riches.

V. I will talk of | thy com- | mandments: ‖ and have re- | spect un- | to thy | ways.

R. My delight shall be | in thy | statutes: ‖ and I will | not for- | get thy | word.

COLLECT.—O Lord, Who never failest to help and govern those whom Thou dost bring up in Thy steadfast fear and love; keep us, we beseech Thee, under the protection of Thy good providence, and make us to have a perpetual fear and love of Thy holy Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 3.—*V.* O do well un- | to thy | servant: ‖ that I may | live and | keep thy | word.

R. Open | thou mine | eyes: ‖ that I may see the wondrous | things — | of thy | law.

V. I am a stranger | upon | earth: ‖ O hide not | thy com- | mandments | from me!

R. My soul breaketh out for the very | fervent de- | sire: ‖ that it hath | alway un- | to thy | judgments.

V. Thou hast re- | buked the | proud: ‖ and cursed are they that do | err from | thy com- | mandments.

R. O turn from me shame | and re- | buke: ‖ for | I have | kept thy | testimonies.

V. Princes also did sit and | speak a- | gainst me: ‖ but thy servant is | occupied | in thy | statutes.

R. For thy testimonies are | my de- | light: ‖ and | my — | counsel- | lors.

COLLECT.—*O Lord, we beseech* Thee mercifully to hear us; and grant that we, to *whom Thou hast given a hearty* desire to pray, may, by Thy mighty aid, be defended *and comforted in all dangers* and adversities, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 4.—*V.* My soul cleaveth | to the | dust: ‖ O quicken thou me, ac- | cording | to thy | word.

R. I have acknowledged my ways, and thou | heardest | me: ‖ O | teach — | me thy | statutes!

V. Make me to understand the way of | thy com- | mandments: ‖ and so shall I talk | of thy | wondrous | works.

R. My soul melteth away for very | heavi- | ness: ‖ comfort thou me, ac- | cording un- | to thy | word.

V. Take from me the | way of | lying: ‖ and cause thou me to make | much — | of thy | law.

R. I have chosen the | way of | truth: ‖ and thy judgments | have I | laid be- | fore me.

V. I have stuck unto thy | testi- | monies: ‖ O | Lord, con- | found me | not.

R. I will run the way of | thy com- | mandments: ‖ when thou hast set my | heart at | liber- | ty.

Collect.—O God, the protector of all that trust in Thee, without Whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy; increase and multiply upon us Thy mercy; that Thou being our ruler and guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that we finally lose not the things eternal: Grant this, O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our Lord. *Amen.*

THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 5.—*V.* Teach me, O Lord, the way | of thy | statutes: ‖ and I shall keep | it un- | to the | end.

R. Give me understanding, and I shall | keep thy | law: ‖ yea, I shall keep it | with my | whole — | heart.

V. Make me to go in the path of | thy com- | mandments: ‖ for there- | in is | my de- | sire.

R. Incline mine heart un- | to thy | testimonies: ‖ and | not to | covetous- | ness.

V. O turn away mine eyes, lest they behold | vani- | ty: ‖ and quicken | thou me | in thy | way.

R. O stablish thy word | in thy | servant: ‖ that | I may | fear — | thee.

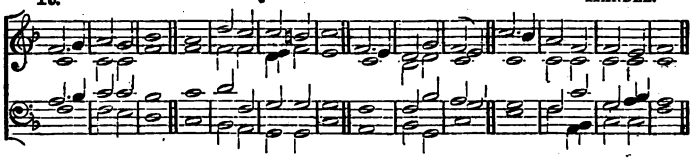
V. Take away the rebuke that I am a- | fraid — | of: ‖ for thy | judg- — | ments are | good.

R. Behold, my delight is in | thy com- | mandments: ‖ O quicken me | in thy | righteous- | ness.

Collect.—Grant, O Lord, we beseech Thee, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by Thy governance, that Thy Church may joyfully serve Thee in all godly quietness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

R. HANDEL.



Ps. cxix. Pt 6.—*V.* Let thy loving mercy come also unto | me, O | Lord: ‖ even thy salvation, ac- | cording un- | to thy | word.

R. So shall I make answer unto | my blas- | phemers: ‖ for my | trust is | in thy | word.

V. O take not the word of thy truth utterly out | of my | mouth: ‖ for my | hope is | in thy | judgments.

R. So shall I alway | keep thy | law: ‖ yea, for | ever | and — | ever.

V. And I will walk at | liber- | ty: ‖ for I | seek — | thy com- | mandments.

R. I will speak of thy testimonies also, even be- | fore — | kings: ‖ and | will not | be a- | shamed.

V. And my delight shall be in | thy com- | mandments: ‖ which | I have | lov- — | ed.

R. My hands also will I lift up unto thy commandments, which | I have | loved: ‖ and my study | shall be | in thy | statutes.

COLLECT.—O God, Who hast prepared for those who love Thee, such good things as pass man's understanding; pour into our hearts such love toward Thee, that we, loving Thee above all things, may obtain Thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 7.—*V.* O think upon thy servant as con- | cerning thy | word: ‖ wherein thou hast caused | me to | put my | trust.

R. The same is my comfort | in my | trouble: ‖ for thy | word hath | quickened | me.

V. The proud have had me exceedingly | in de- | rision: ‖ yet have I not | shrinked | from thy | law.

R. For I remembered thine everlasting judgments, | O — | Lord: ‖ and | — re- | ceived comfort.

V. I am horri- | bly a- | fraid: ‖ for the ungodly | that for- | sake thy | law.

R. Thy statutes have | been my | songs: ‖ in the house | of my | pilgrim- | age.

V. I have thought upon thy Name, O Lord, in the | night — | season: ‖ and | have kept | thy — | law.

R. This | I — | had: ‖ because | I kept | thy com- | mandments.

COLLECT.—*Lord of all power* and might, Who art the author and giver of all good *things; graft in our hearts* the love of Thy Name, increase in us true religion, nourish us

with all goodness, and of Thy great mercy keep us in the same, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE EIGHTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 8.—*V.* Thou art my | portion, O | Lord: ‖ I have | promised to | keep thy | law.

R. I made my humble petition in thy presence with | my whole | heart: ‖ O be merciful unto me, ac- | cording | to thy | word.

V. I called mine own ways | to re- | membrance: ‖ and turned my feet un- | to thy | testi- | monies.

R. I made haste, and prolonged | not the | time: ‖ to | keep — | thy com- | mandments.

V. The congregations of the ungodly have | robbed | me: ‖ but I have | not for- | gotten thy | law.

R. At midnight I will rise to give thanks | unto | thee: ‖ because | of thy | righteous | judgments.

V. I am a companion of all them | that fear | thee: ‖ and | keep — | thy com- | mandments.

R. The earth, O Lord, is full | of thy | mercy: ‖ O | teach — | me thy | statutes!

Collect.—O God, Whose never-failing providence ordereth all things both in heaven and earth; we humbly beseech Thee to put away from us all hurtful things, and to give us those things which are profitable for us, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THE NINTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 9.—*V.* O Lord, thou hast dealt graciously | with thy | servant: ‖ ac- | cording un- | to thy | word.

R. O learn me true under- | standing and | knowledge: ‖ for I have be- | lieved | thy com- | mandments.

V. Before I was troubled | I went | wrong: ‖ but now | have I | kept thy | word.

R. Thou art | good and | gracious: ‖ O | teach — | me thy | statutes!

V. The proud have imagined a | lie a- | gainst me: ‖ but I will keep thy commandments | with my | whole — | heart.

R. Their heart is as | fat as | brawn: ‖ but my delight | hath been | in thy | law.

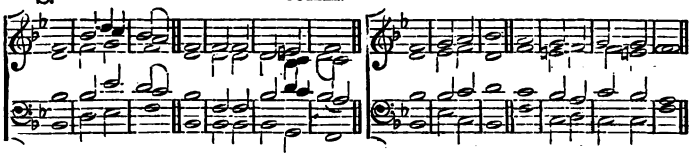
V. It is good for me that I have | been in | trouble: ‖ that | I may | learn thy | statutes.

R. The law of thy mouth is dearer | unto | me: ‖ than | thousands of | gold and | silver.

Collect.—Grant to us, Lord, we beseech Thee, the spirit to think and do always such things as are right: that we who cannot do anything that is good without Thee, may by Thee be enabled to live according to Thy will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

S. CUTLER.



Ps. cxix. Pt. 10.—*V.* Thy hands have made me and | fashioned | me: ‖ O give me understanding, that I may | learn — | thy com- | mandments.

R. They that fear thee will be glad | when they | see me: ‖ because I have put my | trust — | in thy | word.

V. I know, O Lord, that thy | judgments are | right: ‖ and that thou of very faithfulness hast | caused me | to be | troubled.

R. O let thy merciful kindness | be my | comfort: ‖ according to thy | word un- | to thy | servant.

V. O let thy loving mercies come unto me, that | I may | live: ‖ for thy | law is | my de- | light.

R. Let the proud be confounded, for they go wickedly about | to de- | stroy me: ‖ but I will be | occupied in | thy com- | mandments.

V. Let such as fear thee, and have | known thy | testimonies: ‖ be | turned | unto | me.

R. O let my heart be sound | in thy | statutes: ‖ that | I be | not a- | shamed.

COLLECT.—Let Thy merciful ears, O Lord, be opened to the prayers of Thy humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions, make them to ask such things as shall please Thee, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

ELEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 11.—*V.* My soul hath longed for | thy sal- | vation: ‖ and I have a good hope be- | cause — | of thy | word.

R. Mine eyes long sore | for thy | word: ‖ saying, O when | wilt thou | comfort | me?

V. For I am become like a bottle | in the | smoke: ‖ yet do I | not for- | get thy | statutes.

R. How many are the days | of thy | servant: ‖ when wilt thou be avenged of | them that | persecute | me?

V. The proud have digged | pits for | me: ‖ which are | not — | after thy | law.

R. All thy com- | mandments are | true: ‖ they persecute me falsely; | O be | thou my | help.

V. They had almost made an end of me up- | on— | earth: ‖ but I for- | sook not | thy *com- / mandments.*

R. O quicken me after thy / loving- | kindness: ‖ and so shall I keep the \ testimonies (*of thy / mouth.*

COLLECT.—O God, Who declarest Thy Almighty power chiefly in showing mercy and pity; mercifully grant unto us such a measure of thy grace, that we, running the way of Thy commandments, may obtain Thy gracious promises, and be made partakers of Thy heavenly treasure, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 12.—*V.* O | Lord, thy | word: ‖ endureth for- | ev- — | er in | heaven.

R. Thy truth also remaineth from one generation | to an- | other: ‖ thou hast laid the foundation of the | earth, and | it a- | bideth.

V. They continue this day according to thine | ordi- | nance: ‖ for | all things | serve — | thee.

R. If my delight had not been | in thy | law: ‖ I should have | perished | in my | trouble.

V. I will never forget | thy com- | mandments: ‖ for with them | thou hast | quickened | me.

R. I am thine, O | save — | me: ‖ for I have | sought — | thy com- | mandments.

V. The ungodly laid wait for me, to de- | stroy — | me: ‖ but I will con- | sider | thy testi- | monies.

R. I see that all things come | to an | end: ‖ but thy commandment | is ex- | ceeding | broad.

COLLECT.—Almighty and everlasting God, Who art always more ready to hear than we to pray, and art wont to give more than we desire or deserve; pour down upon us the abundance of thy mercy, forgiving us those things whereof our conscience is afraid, and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask, but through the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ Thy Son our Lord. *Amen.*

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 13.—*V.* Lord, what love have I un- | to thy | law: ‖ all the day long | is my | study | in it.

R. Thou, through thy commandments, hast made me wiser | than mine | enemies: ‖ for they are | ever | with — | me.

V. I have more understanding | than my | teachers: ‖ for thy testimonies | are — | my — | study.

R. I am wiser | than the | aged: ‖ because I | keep — | thy com- | mandments.

V. I have refrained my feet from every | evil | way: ‖ that | I may | keep thy | word.

R. I have not shrunk | from thy | judgments: ‖ for | thou — | teachest | me.

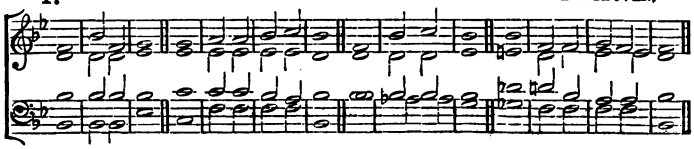
V. O how sweet are thy words un- | to my | throat: ‖ yea, sweeter than | honey un- | to my | mouth!

R. Through thy commandments I get | under- | standing: ‖ therefore I | hate all | evil | ways.

COLLECT.—Almighty and merciful God, of Whose only gift it cometh that Thy faithful people do unto Thee true and laudable service; grant, we beseech thee, that we may so faithfully serve Thee in this life, that we fail not finally to attain Thy heavenly promises, through the merits of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

T. BEETHOVEN.



Ps. cxix. Pt. 14.—*V.* Thy word is a lantern un- | to my | feet: ‖ and a | light un- | to my | paths.

R. I have sworn, and am steadfastly | purpos- | ed: ‖ to | keep thy | righteous | judgments.

V. I am troubled above | meas- — | ure: ‖ quicken me, O Lord, ac- | cording | to thy | word.

R. Let the free-will offerings of my mouth please | thee, O | Lord: ‖ and | teach — | me thy | judgments.

V. My soul is alway | in my | hand: ‖ yet do I | not for- | get thy | law.

R. The ungodly have laid a | snare for | me: ‖ but yet I swerved | not from | thy com- | mandments.

V. Thy testimonies have I claimed as my heritage | for- — | ever: ‖ and why? they are the very | joy — | of my | heart.

R. I have applied my heart to fulfil thy statutes | al- — | way: ‖ even | un- — | to the | end.

COLLECT.—Almighty and everlasting God, give unto us the increase of faith, hope and charity; and that we may obtain that which Thou dost promise, make us to love that which Thou dost command, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 15.—*V.* I hate them that imagine | evil | things: ‖ but thy | law — | do I | love.

R. Thou art my de- | fence and | shield: ‖ and my | trust is | in thy | word.

V. Away from | me, ye | wicked: ‖ I will keep the com- | mandments | of my | God.

R. O stablish me according to thy word, that | I may | live: ‖ and let me not be disap- | pointed | of my | hope.

V. Hold thou me up, and I | shall be | safe: ‖ yea, my delight shall be | ever | in thy | statutes.

R. Thou hast trodden down all them that depart | from thy | statutes: ‖ for they im- | agine | but de- | ceit.

V. *Thou puttest away* all the ungodly of the | earth like | dross: ‖ therefore I | love *thy* / *testi-* / *monies.*

R. *My flesh trembleth for* / fear of | thee: ‖ and I am a- \ frald — \ of thy \ judgments.

COLLECT.—Keep, we beseech Thee, O Lord, Thy Church with Thy perpetual mercy: and because the frailty of man without Thee cannot but fall, keep us ever by Thy help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 16.—*V.* I deal with the thing that is | lawful and | right: ‖ O give me not over | unto | mine op- | pressors!

R. Make thou thy servant to delight in that | which is | good: ‖ that the | proud do | me no | wrong.

V. Mine eyes are wasted away with looking | for thy | health: ‖ and for the word | of thy | righteous- | ness.

R. O deal with thy servant according unto thy | loving | mercy: ‖ and | teach — | me thy | statutes.

V. I am thy servant; O grant me | under- | standing: ‖ that I may | know thy | testi- | monies.

R. It is time for thee, Lord, to lay | to thine | hand: ‖ for they | have de- | stroyed thy | law.

V. For I love | thy com- | mandments: ‖ above | gold and | precious | stones.

R. Therefore hold I straight all | thy com- | mandments: ‖ and all false ways I | utter- | ly ab- | hor.

COLLECT.—O Lord, we beseech Thee, let Thy continual pity cleanse and defend Thy Church; and because it cannot continue in safety without Thy succor, preserve it evermore by Thy help and goodness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 17.—*V.* Thy testimonies are | wonder- | ful: ‖ therefore | doth my | soul keep | them.

R. When thy word | goeth | forth: ‖ it giveth light and understanding | un- —| to the | simple.

V. I opened my mouth, and drew | in my | breath: ‖ for my delight | was in | thy com- | mandments.

R. O look thou upon me, and be merciful | unto | me: ‖ as thou usest to do unto | those that | love thy | Name.

V. Order my steps | in thy | word: ‖ and so shall no wickedness have do- | minion | over | me.

R. O deliver me from the wrongful | dealings of | men: ‖ and so shall I | keep — | thy com- | mandments.

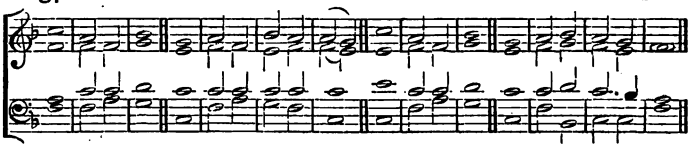
V. Shew the light of thy countenance up- | on thy | servant: ‖ and | teach — | me thy | statutes.

R. *Mine eyes gush* | out with | water: ‖ because | men keep | not thy | law.

COLLECT.—Lord, we pray Thee, that Thy grace may always prevent and follow us; and make us continually to be given to all good works, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

U. GIBBONS.



Ps. cxix. Pt. 18.—*V.* Righteous art | thou, O | Lord: ‖ and | true — | is thy | judgment.

R. The testimonies that thou | hast com- | manded: ‖ are ex- | ceeding | righteous and | true.

V. My zeal hath even con- | sumed | me: ‖ because mine enemies | have for- | gotten thy | words.

R. Thy word is tried to the | utter- | most: ‖ and thy | servant | loveth | it.

V. I am small, and of no | repu- | tation: ‖ yet do I not for- | get — | thy com- | mandments.

R. Thy righteousness is an everlasting | righteous- | ness: ‖ and thy | law — | is the | truth.

V. Trouble and heaviness have taken | hold up- | on me: ‖ yet is my de- | light in | thy com- | mandments.

R. The righteousness of thy testimonies is | ever- | lasting: ‖ O grant me understanding, | and — | I shall | live.

COLLECT.—Lord, we beseech Thee, grant Thy people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh, and the devil; and with pure hearts and minds to follow Thee, the only God, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 19.—*V.* I call with my | whole — | heart: ‖ hear me, O Lord; | I will | keep thy | statutes.

R. Yea, even unto thee | do I | call: ‖ help me, and | I shall | keep thy | testimonies.

V. Early in the morning do I cry | unto | thee: ‖ for in thy | word — | is my | trust.

R. Mine eyes prevent the | night- — | watches; ‖ that I might be | occupied | in thy | words.

V. Hear my voice, O Lord, according unto thy | loving- | kindness: ‖ quicken me, ac- | *cording as* | *thou art* | *wont.*

R. They draw nigh that of malice | persecute | me: ‖ and are \ far — \ from thy \ law.

V. Be thou nigh at | *hand, O* | Lord: ‖ for all thy com- \ mand- — \ ments are \ true.

R. As concerning thy testimonies, I have | known long | since: ‖ that thou hast | grounded | them for- | ever.

COLLECT.—O God, forasmuch as without Thee we are not able to please Thee; mercifully grant that Thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 20.—*V.* O consider mine adversity, and de- | liver | me: ‖ for I do | not for- | get thy | law.

R. Avenge thou my cause, and de- | liver | me: ‖ quicken me ac- | cording | to thy | word.

V. Health is far from | the un- | godly: ‖ for they re- | gard — | not thy | statutes.

R. Great is thy mercy, | O — | Lord: ‖ quicken | me as | thou art | wont.

V. Many there are that trouble me and | persecute | me: ‖ yet do I not swerve | from thy | testi- | monies.

R. It grieveth me when I see the | trans- — | gressors: ‖ because they | keep — | not thy | law.

V. Consider, O Lord, how I love | thy com- | mandments: ‖ O quicken me according | to thy | loving- | kindness.

R. Thy word is true from | ever- | lasting: ‖ all the judgments of thy righteousness en- | dure for | ever- | more.

COLLECT.—O Almighty and most merciful God, of Thy bountiful goodness keep us, we beseech Thee, from all things that may hurt us; that we, being ready both in body and soul, may cheerfully accomplish those things which Thou commandest, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxix. Pt. 21.—*V.* Princes have persecuted me with- | out a | cause: ‖ but my heart standeth in | awe — | of thy | word.

R. I am as glad | of thy | word: ‖ as one that | findeth | great — | spoils.

V. As for lies, I hate | and ab- | hor them: ‖ but thy | law — | do I | love.

R. Seven times a day do I | praise — | thee: ‖ because | of thy | righteous | judgments.

V. Great is the peace that they have who | love thy | law: ‖ and they are | not of- | fended | at it.

R. Lord, I have looked for thy | saving | health: ‖ and done after | thy com- | mand- — | ments.

V. My soul hath kept thy | testi- | monies; ‖ and loved | them ex- | ceeding- | ly.

R. I have kept thy commandments and | testi- | monies: ‖ for all my ways | are be- | fore — | thee.

COLLECT.—Grant, we beseech Thee, merciful Lord, to Thy faithful people, pardon and peace; that *they may* be cleansed from all their sins, and serve Thee with a quiet mind, *through Jesus Christ* our Lord. *Amen.*

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

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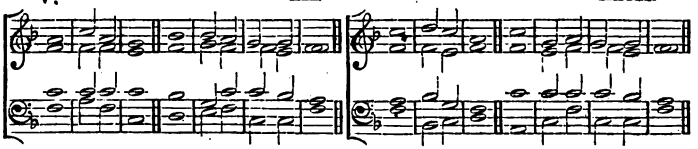

Ps. cxix. Pt. 22.—*V.* Let my complaint come before | thee, O | Lord: ‖ give me understanding ac- | cording | to thy | word.

R. Let my supplication | come be- | fore thee; ‖ deliver me ac- | cording | to thy | word.

V. My lips shall speak | of thy | praise: ‖ when thou hast | taught — | me thy | statutes.

R. Yea, my tongue shall sing | of thy | word: ‖ for all thy com- | mand- — | ments are | righteous.

V. Let thine hand | help — | me: ‖ for I have chosen | thy com- | mand- — | ments.

R. I have longed for thy saving | health, O | Lord: ‖ and in thy | law is | my de- | light.

V. O let my soul live, and it shall | praise — | thee: ‖ and thy | judg- — | ments shall | help me.

R. I have gone astray like a sheep | that is | lost: ‖ O seek thy servant, for I do not forget | thy com- | mand- — | ments.

COLLECT.—Lord, we beseech Thee to keep Thy household the Church in continual godliness; that, through thy protection, it may be free from all adversities, and devoutly given to serve Thee in good works, to the glory of Thy Name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. lix.—*V.* Deliver me from mine enemies, | O — | God: ‖ defend me from them that | rise — | up a- | gainst me.

R. O deliver me from the | wicked | doers: ‖ and save me from the | blood- — | thirsty | men.

V. For lo, they lie waiting | for my | soul: ‖ the mighty men are gathered against me, without any offence or | fault of | me, O | Lord.

R. They run and prepare themselves with- | out my | fault: ‖ arise thou therefore to | help me, | and be- | hold.

V. Stand up, O Lord God of hosts, thou God of Israel, to visit | all the | heathen: ‖ and *be not merciful unto them that* offend of ma- | licious | wicked- | ness.

R. They go to and fro | in the | evening: ‖ they grin like a dog, and | run about | *through the* | *city.*

V. Behold, they speak with their mouth, and swords are | in their | lips: ‖ for | who — | doth — | hear?

R. But thou, O Lord, shalt have them | in de- | rision: ‖ and thou shalt laugh | all the | heathen to | scorn.

V. My strength will I ascribe | unto | thee: ‖ for thou art the | God — | of my | refuge.

R. God sheweth me his goodness | plenteous- | ly: ‖ and God shall let me see my desire up- | on mine | ene- | mies.

V. Slay them not, lest my | people for- | get it: ‖ but scatter them abroad among the people, and put them down, O | Lord, — | our de- | fence.

R. For the sin of their mouth, and for the words of their lips, they shall be taken | in their | pride: ‖ and why? their preaching | is of | cursing and | lies.

V. Consume them in thy wrath, consume them, that | they may | perish: ‖ and know that it is God that ruleth in Jacob, and unto the | ends — | of the | world.

R. And in the evening they | will re- | turn: ‖ grin like a dog, and will | go a- | bout the | city.

V. They will run here and | there for | meat: ‖ and grudge if they | be not | satis- | fied.

R. As for me, I will sing of thy power, and will praise thy mercy betimes | in the | morning: ‖ for thou hast been my defence and refuge in the | day — | of my | trouble.

V. Unto thee, O my strength, | will I | sing: ‖ for thou, O God, art my refuge, | and my | merciful | God.

COLLECT.—O God, our refuge and strength, Who art the author of all godliness; be ready, we beseech Thee, to hear the devout prayers of Thy Church; and grant that those things which we ask faithfully, we may obtain effectually, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. cxlii.—*V.* I cried unto the Lord | with my | voice: ‖ yea, even unto the Lord did I | make my | suppli- | cation.

R. I poured out my complaints be- | fore — | him: ‖ and | shewed him | of my | trouble.

V. When my spirit was in heaviness, thou | knewest my | path: ‖ in the way wherein I walked, have they privily | laid a | snare for | me.

R. I looked also upon my | right — | hand: ‖ and saw there was | no man | that would | know me.

V. I had no place to | flee un- | to: ‖ and no man | cared | for my | soul.

R. I cried unto thee, O | Lord, and | said: ‖ Thou art my hope, and my portion in the | land — | of the | living.

V. Consider | my com- | plaint: ‖ for I am | brought — | very | low.

R. O deliver me from my | perse- | cutors: ‖ for they | are too | strong for | me.

V. Bring my soul out of prison, that I may give thanks un- | to thy | Name: ‖ which thing if thou wilt grant me, then shall the righteous re- | sort un- | to my | company.

COLLECT.—O Lord, we beseech Thee, absolve Thy people from their offences; that *through Thy bountiful* goodness, we may all be delivered from the bands of those

which by our frailty we have committed: Grant this, O heavenly Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our blessed Lord and Saviour. *Amen.*

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

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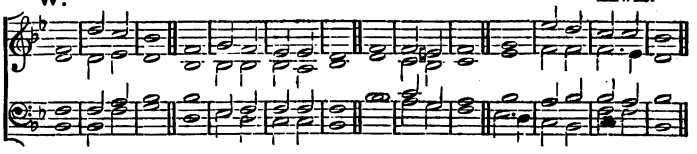


Ps. lxxxv.—*V.* Lord, thou art become gracious | unto thy | land: ‖ thou hast turned away the cap- | tivi- | ty of | Jacob.

R. Thou hast forgiven the offence | of thy | people: ‖ and | covered | all their | sins.

V. Thou hast taken away all | thy dis- | pleasure: ‖ and turned thyself from thy | wrathful | indig- | nation.

R. Turn us then, O | God our | Saviour: ‖ and let thine | anger | cease from | us.

V. Wilt thou be displeased at | us for- | ever: ‖ and wilt thou stretch out thy wrath from one gener- | ation | to an- | other?

R. Wilt thou not turn again and | quicken | us: ‖ that thy people | may re- | joice in | thee?

V. Shew us thy | mercy, O | Lord: ‖ and | grant us | thy sal- | vation.

R. I will hearken what the Lord God will say con- | cerning | me: ‖ for he shall speak peace unto his people, and to his saints, that | they turn | not a- | gain.

V. For his salvation is nigh them that | fear — | him: ‖ that glory may | dwell — | in our | land.

R. Mercy and truth are | met to- | gether: ‖ righteousness and | peace have | kissed each | other.

V. Truth shall flourish out | of the | earth: ‖ and righteousness hath | looked | down from | heaven.

R. Yea, the Lord shall shew | loving- | kindness: ‖ and our | land shall | give her | increase.

V. Righteousness shall | go be- | fore him: ‖ and he shall direct his | going | in the | way.

COLLECT.—Stir up, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the wills of Thy faithful people; that they plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by Thee be plenteously rewarded, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Ps. ci.—*V.* My song shall be of | mercy and | judgment: ‖ unto thee, O | Lord, — | will I | sing.

R. O let me have | under- | standing: ‖ in the | way of | godli- | ness!

V. When wilt thou come | unto | me? ‖ I will walk in my house | with a | perfect | heart.

R. I will take no wicked thing in hand; I hate the sins of un- | faithful- | ness: ‖ there shall no such | cleave — | unto | me.

V. A froward heart shall de- | part from | me: ‖ I will not | know a | wicked | person.

R. Whoso privily | slandereth his | neighbor: ‖ him | will — | I de- | stroy.

V. Whoso hath also a proud look | and high | stomach: ‖ I | will not | suffer | him.

R. Mine eyes look upon such as are faithful | in the | land: ‖ that | they may | dwell with | me.

V. Whoso leadeth a | godly | life: ‖ he | shall — | be my | servant.

R. There shall no deceitful person dwell | in my | house: ‖ he that telleth lies shall not | tarry | in my | sight.

V. I shall soon destroy all the ungodly that are | in the | land: ‖ that I may root out all wicked doers from the | city | of the | Lord.

COLLECT.—Stir up, we beseech Thee, O Lord, the wills of Thy faithful people; that they plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by Thee be plenteously rewarded, through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

THANKSGIVING AND OTHER NATIONAL DAYS.

Ps cxliv.—*V.* Blessed be the | Lord my | strength: ‖ who teacheth my hands to war | and my | fingers to | fight.

R. My hope and my fortress, my castle and deliverer, my defender in | whom I | trust: ‖ who subdueth my people | that is | under | me.

V. Lord, what is man, that thou hast such respect | unto | him: ‖ or the son of man that thou | so re- | gardest | him!

R. Man is like a | thing of | nought: ‖ his time passeth a- | way — | like a | shadow.

V. Bow thy heavens, O Lord, | and come | down: ‖ touch the | mountains and | they shall | smoke.

R. Cast forth thy lightning, and | tear — | them: ‖ shoot out thine | arrows | and con- | sume them.

V. Send down thine hand | from a- | bove: ‖ deliver me, and take me out of the great waters, from the | hand of | strange — | children.

R. Whose mouth talketh of | vani- | ty: ‖ and their right hand is a right | hand of | wicked- | ness.

V. I will sing a new song unto | thee, O | God: ‖ and sing praises unto thee up- | on a | ten-stringed | lute.

R. *Thou hast given* victory | unto | kings: ‖ and hast delivered David thy servant *from the | peril | of the | sword.*

V. Save me, and deliver me from the hand of | strange — | children: ‖ whose mouth talketh of vanity and their right hand is a right hand | of in- | iqui- | ty.

R. That our sons may grow up as the | young — | plants: ‖ and that our daughters may be as the polished | corners | of the | temple;

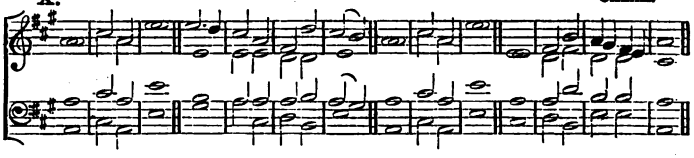
V. That our garners may be full and plenteous with all | manner of | store: ‖ that our sheep may bring forth thousands and ten | thousands | in our | streets.

R. That our oxen may be strong to labor; that there be | no de- | cay: ‖ no leading into captivity, and no com- | plaining | in our | streets.

V. Happy are the people that are in | such a | case: ‖ yea, blessed are the people who have the | Lord — | for their | God.

MATIN SONG.

X. CALAH.



Ps. lxiii.—*V.* O God, thou | art my | God: ‖ early | will I | seek — | thee.

R. My soul thirsteth for thee; my flesh also longeth | after | thee: ‖ in a barren and dry land, | where no | water | is.

V. Thus have I looked for thee in | holi- | ness: ‖ that I might be- | hold thy | power and | glory.

R. For thy loving-kindness is better than the | life it- | self: ‖ my | lips shall | praise — | thee.

V. As long as I live will I magnify thee | in this | manner: ‖ and lift up my | hands — in thy | Name.

R. My soul shall be satisfied, even as it were with | marrow and | fatness: ‖ when my mouth praiseth | thee with | joyful | lips.

V. Have I not remembered thee | in my | bed: ‖ and thought upon | thee when | I was | waking.

R. Because thou hast | been my | helper: ‖ therefore under the shadow of thy | wings will | I re- | joice.

V. My soul hangeth up- | on — | thee: ‖ thy right hand | hath up- | holden | me.

R. These also that seek the hurt | of my | soul: ‖ they | shall go | under the | earth.

V. Let them fall upon the edge | of the | sword: ‖ that they may | be a | portion for | foxes.

R. But the King shall rejoice in God; all they also that swear by him shall | be com- | mended: ‖ for the mouth of them that | speak lies | shall be | stopped.

EVEN SONG.

Ps. cxli.—*V.* Lord, I call upon thee; haste thee | unto | me: ‖ and consider my voice | when I | cry unto | thee.

R. Let my prayer be set forth in thy sight | as the | incense: ‖ and let the lifting up of my hands be an | evening | sacri- | fice.

V. Set a watch, O Lord, be- | fore my | mouth: ‖ and keep the | door — | of my | lips.

R. O let not mine heart be inclined to any | evil | thing: ‖ let me not be occupied in ungodly works, with the men that work wickedness, lest I eat of | such things | as please | them.

V. Let the righteous rather | smite me | friendly: ‖ and | — re- | prove — | me.

R. But let not their precious balms | break my | head: ‖ yea, I will pray yet a- | gainst their | wicked- | ness.

V. Let their judges be overthrown in | stony | places: ‖ that they may hear my words, for | they are | sweet.

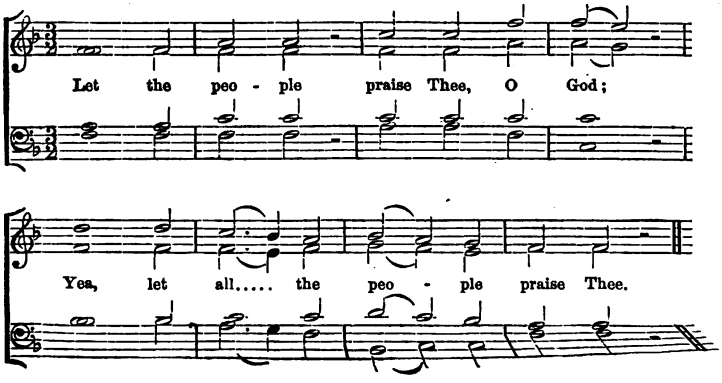
R. Our bones lie scattered be- | fore the | pit: ‖ like as when one breaketh and heweth | wood up- | on the | earth.

V. But mine eyes look unto thee, O | Lord — | God: ‖ in thee is my trust; O | cast not | out my | soul.

R. Keep me from the snare that they have | laid for | me: ‖ and from the traps | of the | wicked | doers.

V. Let the ungodly fall into their own | nets to- | gether: ‖ and let me | ever es- | cape — | them.

LET THE PEOPLE PRAISE THEE.



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